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COHEN'S PLACE IS IN ASHES.

A Palatial Residence Devoured by Flames During the Early Hours of the Morning.

IT WAS WORTH $500,000.

Pictures by Famous Masters Are Now Worthless Debris.

SEVERAL FIREMEN INJURED

Only About a Third of the Loss Is Covered by Insurance.

Half a million dollars went up in smoke in Alameda this morning, when the magnificent residence of the late A. A. Cohen was burnt to the ground, destroying with it one of the finest private galleries of paintings on the coast, as well as thousands of dollars worth of costly furniture.

ORIGIN.

How the fire started is one of those mysteries which will never be explained. The house was not occupied at the time, though it was in charge of a watchman named Braley.

At 4:30 o'clock, this morning, Braley made the rounds of all the rooms. He saw no indications of fire before he retired.

Shortly before 6 o'clock, the coachman, Otto Jenkins, saw smoke issuing from the roof above the gallery. It apparently came from the frame work of the huge skylight, but an investigation developed the fact that the whole upper portion of the garret was ablaze.

ALARM TURNED IN.

An alarm was at once sounded and after some delay the two chemical engines and the one steamer came to the scene.

The only fire hydrant is located several blocks away and little could be done to check the flames.

FIGHTING THE FLAMES.

One stream was set to work on the roof, but the heat was so intense that the firemen were forced back. The chemical engines soon exhausted their usefulness and it was seen that the structure was lost unless more water could be obtained.

TAPPING THE MAIN.

A force of men went to work before 7 o'clock to tap the main pipe. This was done and by the insertion of a fire-plug another line of hose was made available.

The fire was then raging intensely over the central portion of the building and it was with the greatest difficulty that any headway could be made by the hose men.

STRIKE THE CUPOLA.

The flames jumped from the roof to the cupola and this was soon destroyed. It fell with a crash through the sky-light to the gallery, scattering fire in all directions.

From that time on the building was doomed. Desperate efforts were made to save a portion of it, but to no avail. Systematically the fire burned out one room after another in the upper stories.

MASS OF FLAME.

Before 8 o'clock the whole northern wing was a seething mass of flame, rapidly being consumed. Then efforts were directed toward saving the southern half if possible. For an hour the men battled heroically against the great odds. Nothing could be done, however, to stop the ravage and by 11 o'clock not a vestige of the palatial home was left except the five tall chimneys and a portion of the frame work of the music-room.

WRECK AND RUIN.

A mass of smouldering ruins and an intricate mesh of twisted pipes, marked the spot, where a few hours before had stood one of the handsomest residences in Alameda County.

AN EXPLOSION.

About 7 o'clock a severe explosion took place in the front part, over the porch. This is supposed to have been caused by gas pipes bursting. The shock blew out the front windows and wrecked a portion of the structure. Fortunately no one was injured.

HELP RECEIVED.

As soon as the fire was discovered, workmen and neighbors broke into the building and did good work in saving some of the costly fittings and pictures.

The gallery, which was located on the second floor, containing over 100 famous paintings together with a large number of others of less note, was filled with smoke and it was with difficulty that anything could be taken out.

PICTURES OF VALUE.

Some of the pictures were torn from the walls and carried out, but the majority of them were burnt up. Little else on the second floor was saved.

The first floor was easier of access, for at the time the flames had not made their way downward, beyond the staircasings. Here all the work was soon confined.

BRONZES AND STATUARY.

The bronzes, statuary and bric-a-brac were heaped together in the hurry to get them in a place of safety, while massive mirrors were smashed to pieces by over-zealous workers.

The furniture and fittings saved, including billiard tables, pianos, part of the library and some of the paintings, will not amount to more than $5,000 in value.

THE FAMILY.

The house was unoccupied at the time. The sons and daughters have grown up and all but two have left Alameda. Mrs. Cohen spent the night with her son, Edgar, who lives on Versailles avenue and she knew nothing of the conflagration until the building was wrapped in flames.

A SEVERE SHOCK.

On arriving at the scene she took charge of the rescuing party and directed operations until her sons came. The shock was a severe one to her and it is feared the excitement will result in illness.

Since the home has been without occupants, a careful watch has been maintained, both night and day, to prevent just such an occurrence. Occasionally the furnace was heated to prevent dampness in the rooms, especially in the second story, where a large amount of the furniture was stored. It may be that a crack in the chimney, is responsible for the catastrophe.

MRS. COHEN'S STORY.

In speaking of the matter Mrs. Cohen could give no explanation of the origin of the blaze.

"All I know," she said, "is that the house is now a complete ruin and most of the valuable paintings and things are destroyed. There is nothing like the insurance on the place, that it is worth, for some of those pictures we could not have covered with insurance for a quarter of their value. I know the loss to me will be over $300,000, with the insurance."

Edgar Cohen estimated the loss at fully $500,000. He believed the inventory would show even more.

THE DESTROYED BUILDING.

The house was located in the center of a big tract of land, which had been beautifully improved. It was a three-story structure built entirely of wood and had stood on the present site for over twenty-five years.

Those who frequently visited the Cohens, declare it to have been the handsomest residence west of the Rocky Mountains.

The late A. A. Cohen, was formerly the attorney for the Central Pacific Railroad Company. He originated and owned the broad guage line in Oakland and the Alameda line afterwards, selling them to the Southern Pacific.

This was in the early 70's. The house took a year in building, but artists and cabinet makers were kept steadily at work for two years more, decorating the interior.

Every wall was beautifully frescoed and painted, while all the wood work was of the finest and most costly obtainable.

The building contained between forty and fifty rooms, including a music hall, gallery, library, billard and extensive drawing-rooms.

The main hall ran directly through from west to east. Pillars of solid onyx supported bronzes and statuary, while the delicately inlaid floor was a wonderful work of art.

Exclusive of the decorating, the house originally cost $125,000. To this sum many thousand more have been added during late years.

A $50,000 CANVAS.

In the gallery, besides the many other works, was a framed canvas which cost $50,000 in Paris. This was totally destroyed. Paintings from the brush of Rousseau, Carnot, Bonheur and Milne Ramsey, suffered a similar fate.

Ramsey's famous death-bed scene, was saved, uninjured. This was finished in Paris in '78 and cost a big sum. The original "Marguerite," another very expensive canvas, was so badly burned, that it is almost obliterated.

FOUND IN ART CENTERS.

These works, together with the statuary, Mr. Cohen had been collecting for many years prior to his death. They were found in the art centers of Europe principally and in themselves represented a fortune.

AL CUMMINGS TALKS.

Al Cummings, who handled all the insurance, arrived early on the scene.

"The place is a complete loss," he said when questioned. "The little furniture saved, will only amount to a few thousand dollars. The house was one of the handsomest on the coast, while the art gallery could not be beaten for a private collection. I have no idea how much the pictures cost, but the price must have aggregated a very big sum.

"I have the inventory of the goods, but the insurance will only partially cover the loss."

The property was all left to the widow, when her husband died. Mrs. Cohen did not know this afternoon, whether she would re-build or not, though she stated that if she did, it would be impossible to replace what was lost.

FIREMEN INJURED.

A number of firemen were more or less seriously injured in trying to extinguish the flames. Fred Caraeof, had his arm badly burned by a falling timber and Gus Wagner nearly lost two fingers while breaking a window. Charles Frost was also badly burnt.

Some time ago an effort was made to open up some streets through the Cohen property, so that the eastern end of Alameda could be improved. This would have insured additional water mains, but the family was not inclined to see the work done at the time. As a consequence only one hydrant was available for use and this proved entirely inadequate to furnish the water needed to check the conflagration.

The total amount of insurance figures up $155,000, divided among the following companies:

Commercial Union, $9,000.
Western of Toronto, $7,500.
American of New Jersey, $2,500.
Fire Association, $7,500.
Caledonian, $4,500.
Scottish Union and National, $10,000.
Lancastershire, $5,000.
American of New York, $7,500.
Providence of Washington, $2,500.
Hartford, $4,500.
Insurance Company of North America, $5,000.
Alliance of London, $5,000.
Manchester, $4,500.
Phoenix of London, $7,500.
Imperial, $4,000.
Union of London, $5,000.
St. Paul, $2,500.
Liverpool, London and Globe, $2,500.
National of Hartford, $5,500.
Sun of London, $2,500.
Palatine, $2,500.
Trans-Atlantic, $5,000.
Williamsburg City, $2,500.
Home and Phoenix, $17,500.
Northwestern National, $2,500.
Westchester, $3,000.
New Zealand, $5,000.
Franklin, $2,500.
North British and Merchantile, $5,000.

CIVIL SERVICE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Senate concerned itself today with the civil service debate, arising on the resolution offered by Allen (Populist of Nebraska) to investigate the removals in South Omaha, Nebraska.

Allen, Wilson of Washington, and Ballinger of New Hampshire, denounced the civil service law vigorously.

Hawley of Connecticut and Hoar of Massachusetts, supported it.

The Senate adopted a resolution but added an amendment directing the Civil Service Committee to examine into the general action of the civil service law and whether it shall be "continued," amended or repealed.

KATE KENNEDY.

Chief of Police Lloyd has received a letter from Mrs. J. M. Kennedy of Pacific Grove, Cal., asking for information concerning Kate Kennedy who was picked up while in a drunken stupor Mrs. J. M. Kennedy says she had a sister named Kate, who was last heard of in Buffalo, New York, and the picture of Kate Kennedy in one of the San Francisco dailies was not unlike her sister. Kate Kennedy, when seen by a Tribune reporter, denied that she had a sister in Pacific Grove and said she had lived in Oakland for thirty years.

HUNTER LACKS FOUR VOTES

He Cannot Be Elected Senator From Kentucky on Joint Ballot.

Rumor of a Combination to Put Governor Bradley in the Place.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Mar. 23. — Today separate ballots were taken for the United States Senator to succeed Blackburn.

All the morning rumors were rife of the bolting of six Republican members who would not support Congressman Hunter and of a combination having been formed by a few Republicans with Democrats to elect Governor Bradley United States Senator, thus causing a vacancy in the Governor's office and making an opening for a Democrat.

Hunter announced at 10 o'clock that he would certainly win on the first ballot.

At 12 o'clock the two houses balloted with the following results:

Senate—Blackburn, (free silver Democrat) 14, Hunter (Republican) 13, Boyle (Republican) 3, Davis (sound money Democrat) 6. Total 36.

House—Blackburn 34, Hunter 53, Boyle 3, Davis 5, McCreary 4, Buckner 1, Stone 1.

Necessary to a choice, 70. The result shows that Hunter cannot win in the joint session tomorrow.

The Stock Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Uneasiness over the effect of the Supreme Court decision on the Trans-Missouri Traffic Association case resulted in a marked heaviness of grangers' and other railroad shares at the opening of the stock exchange.

Grangers yielded an average of ⅝ per cent. The market sagged steadily.

A High School Meeting.

There will be a mother's meeting this afternoon at 3 P. M., at the High School, where mothers and teachers will discuss the best methods of developing the best there is in a pupil. Superintendent McClymonds, Professor McChesney and others will speak.

Won the Handicap.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, March 23.—J. C. Sullivan's Winkfield's Pride won the Lincolnshire handicap today.

A CHEATED GALLOWS.

The Barrego Gang in New Mexico Reprieved by the President.

CAME IN THE NICK OF TIME.

Four Murderers Were on the Way to the Waiting Gibbet.

TEN DAYS' LEASE OF LIFE.

His Excellency Wants to Look More Carefully Into the Case.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SANTA FE, N. M., Mar. 23.—Preparations for the hanging of Francisco Borrego, Antonio Borrego, Lauriano Alarid and Patricio Valencia were complete this morning.

A troop of cavalry and a company of infantry were ordered to guard the prisoners from the Penitentiary to the jail and to guard the jail where the gallows is erected.

The execution was to have been private, only twenty-four persons being present. As the prisoners started from the Penitentiary, about a mile from town, Governor Thornton received a dispatch from the Attorney General stating that the President had granted a reprieve of ten days to look more fully into the case, the press of business having prevented the full consideration that the gravity of the case demanded.

Governor Thornton immediately dispatched a messenger to Sheriff Kinsell, and the prisoners were taken to the County Jail under escort, the Warden of the Penitentiary refusing to receive the prisoners again.

The message from Washington was as follows:

"To Hon. W. T. Thornton, Governor of New Mexico—The President reprieves the defendants in the Borrego case for ten days to have the question of jurisdiction settled. He requests you to do likewise.

"This reprieve is made necessary only by the press of business, which has prevented that consideration which the President deems necessary in view of its gravity. Answer immediately.

(Signed) "JOSEPH McKENNA,
"Attorney General."

The Governor at once issued a reprieve, making the day of execution Friday, April 2d. This makes the fourth time the execution of the prisoners in this celebrated case has been delayed, and there seems to be some ground for the belief that the sentence of the law will never be carried out.

Frank Borrego, the principal character of the tragedy, says that he dreamed last night that a reprieve would reach them just before the execution.

LEVEE NOT BROKEN.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MEMPHIS, Mar. 3.—Authentic information comes at 10 o'clock today that the reporter break in the levee at Australia, Miss., was an error. The Telegram says that the levee can be held intact for several days. The river there shows a decline of .02 of an inch in twenty-four hours, which, taken with today's bright sunshine, makes the outlook encouraging. The relief boats have ceased running, but there are 5,000 homeless people on the Chickasaw Bluffs, for whom aid is asked.

POWER OF TRUSTS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Turple of Indiana, made a speech in the Senate today in support of his joint resolution for an amendment to the Constitution providing for the election of Senators by a direct vote of the people. He spoke of the usurpation of power by the trusts and the influence they exerted over Legislatures.

NOMINATIONS MADE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The President has nominated Bernard Bettman to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Ohio and Chester H. Brush of Connecticut to be Recorder-General of the Land Office.

Chicago Grain

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Wheat, March, 72½; May, 73½; corn, March, 28⅝; May, 23⅝; oats, March, 6¾; May, 17¼; pork, March, $8.65; May, $8.75; lard, March, $4.12½; May, $4.20 @ $4.22½; ribs, March and May, 4.65; rye, 33; barley, 22½ @ 33; flax, 78½; timothy, $2.75.

Arrived.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Arrived: the Columbia from Genoa.

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TARIFF AGAIN.

A Lively Debate in the House at the Capital.

THE CAMPAIGN IS RECALLED.

Newlands Gives Expression to His Views on the Subject.

CARNEGIE STRIKE CALLED UP.

Dockery Has Something to Say Against the Bill in Question.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—There were less than fifty members on the floor when the House entered on the second day of the tariff debate at 10 o'clock. As the day advanced, the members poured in and the galleries became crowded.

Gibson, Republican, of Tennessee, was the first speaker. He delivered a general argument in favor of protection.

Dockery (Dem.) of Missouri, who followed, said that it was not a surprise to him that the discussion thus far had been tame and uninteresting. "The truth is," said he, "the Populists of this country want more money and less taxes." (Democratic applause.)

"This bill does not represent the issue of the late campaign. The people would prefer to see $113,000,000 more money put in circulation than to see that amount absorbed by the Treasury."

Dockery said that it did not lie in the mouths of the Republicans to criticise the bond issues of the last administration.

"Cleveland was criticised on this side of the House," said he, "while you endorsed his policy in the last Congress. Your Committee on Ways and Means refused to give to the House the opportunity to vote on the Senate resolution prohibiting the bond issues because your leaders had been notified by fifty Republicans from the West that they would be compelled to vote for it."

Dockery ridiculed the idea of the present tariff law was a monster which had destroyed our industries. If it had done so, why, he asked, had the Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee lifted the metal and cotton schedules almost bodily from this monstrous law? He denied there was an era of prosperity for labor during the existence of the McKinley law and instanced the Carnegie strike.

"That catastrophe," interrupted Dalzell, "was the result of a contest between organized labor and the opponents of organized labor. The McKinley law had nothing to do with it."

"Yes, and the protected employer hired the Pinkerton detectives to shoot down organized labor," returned Dockery. "A distinguished Republican, then a member of this House told me at the time that it was the worst disaster the Republican party had experienced in twenty years."

Dockery was especially sarcastic in his remarks on the absurdity of giving alleged protection to the agricultural products. Of $569,000,000 products exported by the United States last year $504,000,000 was agricultural products. In conclusion, he said the policy of protection had driven our flag from the high seas, impoverished the laboring men, multiplied the farm mortgages.

Newland, (Silverite) of Nevada, then took the floor as spokesman for his party, which numbers three members in the House.

Newlands discussed the tariff bill from the standpoint of the silver men who united with the Democrats and Populists during the last campaign in opposition to the Republicans.

This alliance, he said, still continued and was likely to amalgamate the combined forces into one strong party with silver as the superior dominant issue, all other questions being subordinate to it and the largest tolerance being exercised as to the difference of opinion on other questions which hitherto had divided the various elements constituting the silver forces. Much depended in future upon the tolerance, wisdom and conservatism of action of the allied parties and he proposed to address himself to the question of what line of party action would best promote the cause of bimetallism, which he regarded as the only radical cure of the present conditions.

Although, he continued, it is sometimes difficult to determine the exact issues settled by the campaign, there can be no question as to the tariff. The popular verdict of the election was in favor of protection. The Democratic party declared silver to be the dominant issue and nearly snatched victory from the most desperate conditions. The Republican victory would have been complete had not the Democratic party presented other unnecessary issues which handicapped Bryan's candidacy, furnished a pretext for misrepresentation and abuse and really divided the friends of silver. As it was, however, he said the people had declared in favor of protection and the Republican party should, in his judgment, act without obstructions and with expedition.

Newlands declared that both industrial and monetary legislation were necessary and that of the two, the latter was more necessary. Tariff legislation alone, he asserted, would not give relief. Producing as we do a surplus of wheat, cotton and other farm products, the price of the exportable surplus is fixed in Liverpool and the Liverpool price fixes also the domestic price. In the Liverpool markets these products come in competition with the products of India, Russia, Argentina and other countries, none of which are upon a gold basis.

These countries are willing to accept the old silver price for their products. The old silver price means today half of the old gold price, so we have the price of our farm products cut in two by the competition of these countries. Restore the old gold price of silver, $1.29 per ounce, and we immediately restore the old gold prices of our farm products, and this means, he said, protection to American farms and plantations just as the tariff law means protection to the factory. We have, he continued, an industrial system in this country which makes it the object of attack from all other countries.

COURT NEWS

Collins at Last Sent to the Asylum for the Insane.

Other Items of Interest in the Several Departments of the Courts.

James A. Collins, an Alameda carpenter, was sent to Agnews this morning by Judge Ellsworth, upon the advice of Drs. H. J. Todd and E. T. Barber.

Collins has been treated for mental troubles before. This last time he began acting strangely about two weeks ago and grew gradually worse. Last evening he attempted violence on his wife because she answered a question addressed to him, and in other ways showed himself dangerous to be at large. He resided at 2217 San Antonio avenue, Alameda.

GETS THE CHILD BACK.

Judge Ogden decided yesterday that Mrs. Etta Werren was entitled to her 2 year old baby, and ordered its grand aunt to give its possession to the mother. It was also ordered that the father of the child should pay $250 to Chris Werren for providing for the little one for the past two years.

SALISBURY CASE.

A successful attempt has been made at last in serving a copy of the order to show cause on Monroe Salisbury. The veteran horseman was looked for for some time before his creditors were able to locate him.

COURT NOTES.

Wm. T. Barbe, a native of Holland, was made a citizen today by Judge Ellsworth.

The $50,000 damage suit brought by J. P. Norman and wife against the Alameda Railway was dropped from the calendar this morning because of the absence of Attorney Delmas, the plaintiff's counsel.

W. J. Schmidt has brought proceedings to foreclose a lien amounting to $1,196 against the property of the estate of A. J. Snyder.

The Bradford Investment Company, composed of Charles P., Edward J., George C. Waldie and Frank Bradford, today filed articles of incorporation. The object of the association is to conduct a general merchandise business, and the capital stock is named as $500,000.

Mary R. Barstow, executrix of the estate of Alfred Barstow, today filed her final account. It shows that she has received $6,852.62 and expended 3,274 in the course of the administration.

J. P. Satefield today filed a notice of motion for a new trial in the case brought against him by Susie Grant.

Sherman, Clay & Co. today filed their answer to the action brought by W. F. Good and A. W. Foster, as trustees, against P. E. Bowles et al. The suit is over the land of A. T. Hatch. Sherman, Clay & Co., in their answer, claim a prior lien by a $47,792 mortgage held by them on the property.

Upon a stipulation Judge Ellsworth this morning signed an order for the taking of the testimony by commission of Frank E. Welms, an important witness in the divorce action brought by Millie Hudelson against B. F. Hudleson. Welms resides in Portland, Or.

MORE CHILDREN TO DIE.

The Result of the School Collapse in Georgia Yesterday.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 23.—Professor Walker was so badly injured by the cyclone yesterday that he is dying.

Four children cannot survive the day.

Later reports from Blakeley say that no deaths have resulted there.

THREE MILES LONG.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, March 23.—The last day of the celebration of the centennial of the birth of Emperor William I was marked by a monster procession three miles long, in which 40,000 persons took part. It was an immense success.

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A CRUEL SLAUGHTER

Details as to the Killing of the Armenians at Toka.

ONE HUNDRED SACRIFICED.

The Sultan Fears Nothing and Relies on the Aid of Russia.

CONCERT DOES NOT EXIST.

Tiding Over Present Trouble Does Not Annoy the Turk.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 23.—Authentic details of the outbreak on Sunday at Toka, in Asia Minor, where the Turks attacked the Armenians while the latter were in church, showed that one hundred Christians were massacred. The Armenians' houses were given over to pillage. The representations of the Ambassadors of the foreign powers regarding the condition under which Anatolia's labors have made little impression upon the Sultan, who, relying upon the support of Russia, is convinced that he has nothing to fear from the so-called concert of the Powers which is continually harped upon, although it is believed that little or no concert beyond desire in some quarters to postpone war really exists. Diplomats here are said to be once more turning their attention to the conduct of the Sultan. It is semi-officially intimated that they are again of the opinion that the system of friendly representations on the subject of Armenia which, hitherto have been followed, must be changed for the sterner methods of dealing with the evils complained of.

The Sultan, however, consoles himself with the belief that he will survive this new fit of righteous indignation as he has tided over others of a much more serious character.

F. P. BACON MUST BORROW

Denies That He Can Pay the Alimony Ordered by the Court.

Revenue Is Small and His Mother's Money is Called Upon.

Pierson & Mitchell, the attorneys for Frank P. Bacon in the divorce proceedings brought against him by his wife today filed a notice that they should move the court to "reduce the amount ordered to be paid monthly by defendant to the plaintiff to such a sum as under the circumstances the defendant is financially able to pay."

In October last Bacon was ordered to pay $200 a month to his wife for the support of herself and their children. It is impossible for him now to comply with the order, he says. In support of the motion Bacon has filed an affidavit He claims that his entire fortune consists of a one-sixth interest in the Bacon Land & Loan Company, a corporation, with a capital stock of $5,000,000. Out of this he received for the three months ending February 28th but $276.14. For the seven months prior to February 28th his total income, he says, was about $1,045.

The money paid to his wife and for his own personal expenses, he declares, was borrowed from his mother, and now that source of income is shut off. The prospects of paying the interest on an $80,000 indebtedness and taxes make things look blue, and he believes his wife's expenses should be curtailed.

STAND TOGETHER.

Two Dutch Republics Agree to a Defensive Alliance for Safety.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PRETORIA, South Africa, March 23.—The drafts of the treaties between the Transvaal Republic and the Orange Free State has been concluded at Bloemfontein, the capitol of the latter Republic, and are published here. They give the Burghers of each State a franchise in either Republic and the two Republics agree to support one another in case of attack. The treaties must be ratified by the Volksraads of both Republics.

Tents of Sufferers.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Senate has passed the joint resolution offered by Berry of Arkansas for the purchase of a thousand tents for the Mississippi river flood sufferers.

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FIENDS IN THE NIGHT.

The Secret and Malignant Killing of Fowl in East Oakland.

DOVES EYES ARE GOUGED OUT

Ducks Punctured With Pins With Points Tipped With Poison.

THE LOSS OF MRS. DOLMAN.

She Says She Is the Victim of the Malevolence of Some Neighbor.

A case of monstrous cruelty to animals and the ceaseless persecution of a woman is causing comment in East Oakland.

About three months ago, a little French woman, Mrs. Dolman, rented a cottage at 67 East Twelfth street. Misfortune had overtaken the little woman and she had pluckily set out to earn her own living. She began to raise ducks and chickens and soon nearly every game purchaser in town knew her.

MALIGNANT CONDUCT.

Some of the neighbors soon picked a quarrel with Mrs. Dolman and then her troubles. Her birds slowly disappeared. Some were choked to death, others suffered torture before death came to relieve them from their agony.

The favorite mode of torture was to run a sharp darning needle through the eyes of the bird. Some of the ducks had their eyes gouged out. Then the torturers found a new way to kill and began piercing the bodies with a needle tipped with deadly acid. Day by day the list of the slain grew until 200 squabs, several ducks and numerous chickens were dead.

The cat then came in for her turn in suffering agony. The fur and skin on the lower part of her body was taken off with acid and the miserable thing was then left to drag herself away.

The torture her pets were undergoing nearly drove Mrs. Dolman crazy. She saw her means of sustenance being taken from her and she was unable to defend herself nor could she discover her persecutor.

THE FIEND.

"I have my suspicions of the person or persons who are doing these diabolical things," said she, "but I cannot prove my suspicions. I watch every night now and if I see any one moving around the grounds I shall shoot. I am alone in the world and I must protect myself and my property. I have gone to the police and they have done nothing for me.

"I have been living here for three or four months and during the past six weeks this persecution of me has been going. I have my suspicions, as I said, but I do not like to say much about them. I will say that a certain man was insulting to me and said that he would make this place too uncomfortable for me to stay."

Mrs. Dolman showed the reporter a small keg filled with dead squabs, some of them horribly mutilated. This keg the woman said, contained the birds killed during the past three days.

HOW HE WORKS.

It seems that the person comes when Mrs. Dolman is either away from home or in the middle of the night. The locks to the doors of the barn have been broken repeatedly by the fiend.

The Frenchwoman is said to be an industrious person and has given no offense to any one save those she mentions. The theory that she is insane with a penchant for torturing animals is not generally believed in by those who have met her. It looks as though she were the victim of malicious and cruel persecution.

HE PRAYED AT THE TOMB.

How Emperor William Did Honor to His Great Grand Sire.

Centennial of the Birth of the First William of Germany.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, March 22.—The ceremonies attending the celebration of the centenary of the birth of Emperor William I, the grandfather of the present Emperor, which began yesterday, and will end Tuesday, continued today, commencing with the early visit of the Emperor and Empress to the mausoleum of William I.

Their majesties, who received an ovation all along the route, spent a quarter of an hour in silent prayer at the tomb and returned to Berlin soon after 9 o'clock.

At 9 o'clock the troops decorated with the new memorial medals and a detachment of sailors took up the positions assigned them on Unter den Linden.

About 10:30 o'clock the Emperor, in the uniform of the Garde du Corps, arrived and was welcomed with enthusiastic hurrahs; "Hochs" and the waving of handkerchiefs.

His majesty halted before the late grandfather's palace and ordered the flags and standards stored therein, to be brought out.

The Emperor then rode at the head of the colors leading the troops to the festival square.

The monument was unveiled at 11:30 A. M.

The royal personages were beneath the magnificent tent, facing the monument.

They included the Empress and the ex-Empress of Frederick, the Kings of Saxony and Wurtemburg. The privileged spectators numbered about 3,000.

His Majesty occupied a position on horseback in front of the royal tent, facing the monument.

Drums and trumpets sailed to prayer.

A special trumpet corps sounded the hymn "Loebadenn Herrn."

Rev. Dr. Faber delivered a prayer, trumpets and drums following with a grand burst of music.

The Emperor then ordered the monument unveiled, the troops presented arms and there was a loud cheer.

The massed bands played the Prussian national anthem. A salute of 101 guns was fired from Lustmarten adjoining and all the church bells rang.

The ceremonies ended with a choral played by a special trumpet corps.

During the ceremony the colors and flags captured from the French during the war of 1870-71 were displayed. Both sides of the monument are surmounted by a circle of cannon ornamented with oak leaves, also captured from the French.

All troops taking part in the ceremony were under the personal command of the Emperor. The Grand Marshal, Count Von Eulenberg, has been decorated by the Emperor with the order of the Black Eagle.

COURT NEWS

Husband Responsible for Medical Attendance to a Wife.

DECISION BY JUDGE OGDEN.

Feature in the Estate of the Late Mrs. C. Schweiss.

ADMINISTRATORS IN POWER.

Facts of Interest in the Several Tribunals of Alameda County.

Is a husband liable for the medical, nursing and undertaking bills contracted in behalf of his wife? This was a nice little question of law that came up before Judge Ogden this morning. Last July, Mrs. Charlotte Schweiss died at Berkeley, leaving a husband about 30 years her junior.

She had accumulated a small fortune during her lifetime which amounted to $6,800.

A few years before her death, she took to herself a young husband.

This step aroused the bitter opposition of her nine brothers and sisters, who objected vigorously to the lady's action.

Today, the huband, A. D. Schweiss filed his first account of the expenses and receipts derived from the estate.

The expense account includes disbursements for medical attendance, nursing, and drugs during Mrs. Schweiss' last illness and also small accounts for flowers which brightened the sick-room. Even the undertaking bill went to swell the account.

The brothers and sisters made a protest and Judge Raymond was present in Court to uphold their objections.

When A. D. Schweiss was put on the witness stand and had sworn that his account was correct, Judge Raymond began to cross-examine him.

"Where did you find your deceased wife's bank-books?" queried the Judge.

"In her private box" answered the witness.

"What else did you find there?"

The youthful husband looked annoyed and finally stammered that he had also found a $20 gold piece. No accounting had been made of this money and the Judge wanted to know what had become of it.

Judge Raymond then entered an objection to the payment of the medical and undertaking bills on the grounds that the husband is liable for such debts. Judge Ogden sustained the objections and ordered Schweiss to appear next week with his accounts as administrator straightened out.

ADMINISTRATOR APPOINTED.

Mrs. Carrie Fross-Synder was today appointed administrator of the estate of her deceased mother, Mrs. Mary C. Dalziel, who died the early part of this month. Mrs. Dalziel left an estate valued at $10,000 and there are two heirs,—a daughter and son.

TO SELL PROPERTY.

Judge Ogden granted Mrs. P. H. McGrew the right to sell all property remaining in the estate of her deceased husband. The property is valued at several thousand dollars but claims against the estate amount to $13,000. McGrew was a well known resident of East Oakland.

BOREIN DIVORCE.

Mrs. Peter Borein, wife of the Ex-County Clerk and Recorder was today allowed $40 a month for her support during the pendancy of her divorce action.

From appearances the husband will not contest. He made no appearance in court this morning. The woman testified that her husband's fortune had disappeared. The home was mortgaged a short time ago, she said, and $1,900 of the money so obtained remained in the hands of her husband's uncle. Out of this her allowance will be paid.

MAY GO TO WHITTIER.

"Majah" Waters' daughter Sallie whose fourteen years of life have been spent in mischief will probably be sent to Whittier. The attention of Mrs. Sanford has been called to the young one and tomorrow Judge Ogden will officially inquire into the case.

CHARGES CROOKEDNESS.

Attorney O. G. Heaton, one of the creditors of the estate of John C. Lemos, the Haywards grocer, who has been adjudged insolvent, today filed an affidavit in which he charges that some dealings are in progress which would deprive the creditors of a share of the estate if carried out.

The objectionable claim is that of Mrs. Filomena Lemos of Haywards, who asserts that the insolvent is indebted to her in the sum of $500. Heaton has searched the Supervisorial records, and from them has ascertained that the woman is now drawing $6 a month from the county for her support.

"The claim is not worth one cent," said Heaton, "for she has declared once that she had nothing. Now I have looked the matter up in Haywards and found that the man once boarded with the woman, but furnished her all the groceries for herself, six children and several other boarders. If there is a balance it is the other way. The claim is spurious and is for the purpose of saving $500 for some one."

The matter was brought up in court today, and the attorney presented his argument. Judge Ellsworth decided that the affidavit came too late to prevent the election of an assignee, and Max Marcuse was appointed. Heaton intends to bring the matter up again when the time comes to pay the pro rata on the claims.

David Rutherford today brought suit against K. E. Anderson to foreclose a $1,400 mortgage given on property in the King tract, Fruitvale.

FIGHT IN MINIATURE.

McKinley's Aid Besought to Prohibit Views of the Late Fight.

THE APPEAL OF THE W. C. T. U.

Claim It Would Be Debasing to the Youth of the Country.

STATE LEGISLATION NEEDED.

Three Hundred Thousand Back Up the Prayer of the Union.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—The following appeal was forwarded today:

"To His Excellency, the President of the United States:—Honored Ruler. As the official representatives of 300,000 members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the United States, we earnestly entreat you to call upon Congress to prohibit in the District of Columbia and throughout the various Territories the reproduction by means of the kinetoscope or kindred instruments of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight or any like exhibition at any future time.

We believe that in making this request we are seeking the best welfare of the citizens, especially the youth of our land, who would be brutalized by such a lifelike representations of those degrading spectacles.

"We learn that preparations upon the largest scale are being made for the invading, not alone of our great cities, but of every village and hamlet with this spectacular performance.

"That bad as was influence of the fight upon the comparative few who witnessed it in person, it would be infinitely worse because so much more far-reaching if thus produced.

"We are making a like request of the chief officials and the Legislatures of the various States and have a strong hope that, in a majority of them the necessary legislation may result.

"We are glad to feel assured at the outset that your personal sympathy must be with us and that your official sanction will be given to this request so clearly in the interests of morality. Sincerely and respectfully yours,

"Frances E. Willard, president.

"Katherine Leente Stevenson, correspondent secretary, W. C. T. U."

SAVED FOR THE ROPE.

Blanther Will Live That He May Die as a Murderer.

The Dose of Poison Not Strong Enough to Kill Mrs. Langfeld's Murderer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Joseph E. Blanther, the murderer of Mrs. Philipina Langfeldt, has been resuscitated from his attempt at suicide on Saturday night in the jail at Meriden, Texas.

He will be brought back to California to be tried for his crime.

He had concealed morphine in the waist band of his trousers and had swallowed the fatal dose but, after thirty-six hours of work the physicians announced that he is now out of danger. Word to this effect was received today by telegraph from the Sheriff at Meriden by the local police.

The latter are now convinced that the prisoner is Blanther, whose weakness for women led to his capture.

He was traced through a woman to whom he had been married some years ago, and who has been living in Texas.

IMPENDING DOOM.

Fear That More Levees Have Broken and That Ruin Will Result.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 22.—Today the flood situation may be compared to the "calm before the storm," because the Mississippi registered a fall of 0.1 inch in twenty-four hours, which is taken to mean heavy breaks of the levees above, foretelling awful calamity to the country south of here.

The government gauge at 10 o'clock shows a depth of 37 feet.

Relief boats continue to ply between this point and the immediate overflowed districts, landing each trip several hundred homeless people.

MAHER AND SHARKEY.

They Will Struggle for the Mastery Some Time in May.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—A dispatch was received in Brooklyn today from Warren Lewis, president of the Greater New York Athletic Club announcing that a match had been arranged between Maher and Sharkey. It will probably be brought off in May in Brooklyn. It is said that a purse of $10,000 will be the stakes.

SAVED SOME PASSENGERS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEWPORT, Va., March 22.—It is reported that the steamship Yanariva has picked up sixteen of the survivors of the Ville St. Nazaire disaster. The Yanariva sailed March 11th for Glasgow. She will make the trip in about fifteen days.

WANT A NEW ERA.

The Debate on the Tariff in the House at Washington.

APPEARANCE OF THE SCENE.

The Greatest Interest Shown by All the Visitors Present.

DINGLEY PROMISES GOOD TIMES

Prospect of a Discussion That Will Shed a Great Deal of Light.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The tariff debate began in the House at 10 o'clock this morning.

Despite the early hour of assembling, there was a large attendance on the floor and the galleries showed evidence of the great interest in the proceedings.

Dingley and Bailey the opposing leaders were early in their places.

By the rule under which the House was to operate, the House immediately resolved itself into a committee of the whole and the speaker conferred upon Sherman, Republican of New York, the distinguished honor of presiding over the committee.

Those who expected the debate to begin immediately were disappointed. The leaders decided to have the bill read in full at the outset in order to disarm the criticism passed on previous bills that they were put through without even having been read in the House.

The spectators in the galleries and the members on the floor waited while the clerk droned through the 163 pages of the bill.

Dingley opened the debate. He said that the committee had endeavored to discard mere theories and had addressed themselves to the framing of a practical remedy for the ills of the country.

He said that by placing wool on the free list, the treasury had lost $21,000,000 revenue and farmers $30,000,000 per year. The new schedule would increase manufacturies, and the wool grower, and ultimately increase the revenue.

The sugar schedule would increase revenue and encourage the sugar production of this country.

Dingley estimated that the second year the bill would yield $100,000,000 increased revenue.

In conclusion he urged the need of prompt action

Dingley was followed by General Wheeler of Alabama, who opened for the minority.

SPORTS IN A SMASH-UP.

George Siler and Others Badly Shaken in a Railroad Wreck.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GREEN RIVER, Wyo., March 22.—The East-bound Union Pacific passenger train, at 1:35 o'clock this morning, crashed into the rear end of a freight here, injuring three men.

George Siler, Louis Houseman, Jim Wakely and others, returning from the fight at Carson, were on the passenger train. All were shaken up, but none were injured.

ANTI-TRUST LAW.

The Supreme Court Declares That It Is Applicable to the Traffic Pool.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Supreme Court has decided the case of the United States versus the Trans-Missouri Freight Association against the railroads.

The opinion was rendered by Justice Peckham. It reverses the decision of the court below and holds that the anti-trust law of 1890 can be applicable to railroad transportation and that the traffic agreement pool is illegal.

APPOINTMENTS MADE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate: Joseph L. Bristow of Kansas to be Fourth Assistant Postmaster General. Bing of Hermann, Oregon, to be Commissioner-General of the Land office. J. D. Elliot, District Attorney, at South Dakota. Ernest G. Timme of Wisconsin, Auditor for the State and other departments. Commodore Joseph N. Miller, to be Rear Admiral.

FIRE IN DAKOTA.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HURON, S. D., March 22.—Property worth $70,000 was destroyed by fire this morning including the Alliance Building occupied by the Government Land office, which saved most of its records.

The United States Weather Bureau lost all its instruments and most of its records for the past seventeen years.

SUICIDED AT A DEPOT.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PLACERVILLE, March 22.—John E. Wilson, lately of Folsom, committed suicide this morning at the railroad depot in this city by shooting himself through the heart.

WEYLER'S MOVE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, March 22.—Although he has not yet completely recovered his health, Capt.-General Weyler embarked at 12 o'clock last night on the Spanish cruiser Legasie, bound for Cardenas, in the province of Matanzas.

BORNE TO THE GRAVE.

Impressive Funeral of the Late Mrs. Lucy Rogers.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucy Rogers, who died of old age Saturday, was held in Y. M. C. A. Hall at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. James Small conducted the services.

A large number of sorrowing friends gathered to pay their last respects to the memory of the dead.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The music was furnished by the choir of the First Christian Church. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

Mrs. Rogers was 83 years old and had been a church member for 71 years. She leaves four children, Mrs. A. Snyder, Mrs. L. M. Levy, Mrs. A. Pearson and Sol D. Rogers, besides a number of grand and great-grand children. Mrs. Rogers was highly esteemed in this community, where she had lived for so many years, and she was loved by all who knew her.

TREATY TALK.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Senate refused on a yea and nay vote to adopt a motion made by Senator Morgan to amend the amendment of the Foreign Relations Committee to the arbitration treaty.

Morgan's amendment provided for the striking out of the words "jurists of repute" from the amendment, inserted in lieu of the provision constituting the judges of the Supreme Court members of the arbitration tribunal.

In Port.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GLASGOW, March 23.—Arrived: Pomoraine, New York.

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on FRIDAY, MARCH 26TH, 1897, pursuant to an order of the Honorable Superior Court, Alameda County, John Stewart of Stewart's Law and Collection Office, No. 462 Eighth St., Oakland, as assignee of Arlett Bros., insolvent debtors, and at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at No. 918 Broadway, Oakland, (Marcuse's Warehouse), I shall sell at public auction, in parcels, to the highest and best bidders, for cash, the following goods: One cash register, 2 scales, 1 wagon, 1 harness, 1 hand truck, small lot vinegar and canned goods, extract and paper bags and wrapping and holder, 1 hatchet, 1 sign marker and 1 sack barley. Reference is made to the records of said case, No. 12,983, Dept. 2, said Superior Court.

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DIED.

CAMMEYER—In this city, March 22, 1897, Jacob F. Cammeyer, brother of Mrs. Henry N. Dalton, a native of New York City, aged 60 years, 11 months and 29 days. (New York and Elizabeth papers please copy.)

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW (Wednesday), at 3 o'clock P. M., at the residence of Henry N. Dalton, 1454 Eighth street. Please omit flowers. Interment private.

TUCKER—In this city, March 21, 1897, S. G. Tucker, M. D., a native of Maine, aged 67 years.

JUNGK—In this city, March 22, 1897, Conrad Jungk, a native of Hesse-Darmstadt, Germany, aged 48 years, 11 months and 29 days.

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FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 6, fourth floor San Francisco

FRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 49-52.

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$175—Good lot 40x100 between Grove and West sts.

$350—Lot 31x132 (macadamized and sewered), Chestnut near Twenty-eighth st. Worth $600 Go and see it.

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A RARE CHANCE—Will exchange good improved land for three good horses, wagon and harness. Address J. B, box 2, this office

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FOR SALE—A first class family route in East Oakland, serving from 300 to 400 loaves of bread daily, cakes, pies, etc.; also one new wagon, two good horses and harness, an excellent opportunity. Apply at Thomson's Bakery, 40 San Pablo ave., opp. City Hall, Oakland.

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DR. W. E. TAYLOR, Dentist, Central Bank building, rooms 201-224; hours 9-12 and 1-5, Tel. 1381 Red

J. DIMMICK, Dentist, has returned from Oregon and can be found at old stand, 875 Washington st.

S. A. HACKETT, D. D. S., removed to 1148 Washington st., S. E. cor. of 14th.

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The soil will produce anything grown in this section.
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467 NINTH STREET, - - OAKLAND, CAL.

$1,550—Reduced for quick sale; a furnished modern cottage of five rooms and bath, situate on sunny side of Fourth ave. near Clinton station, East Oakland. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

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$1,800—Nice modern cottage of 6 rooms, bath and high basement, on 10th st. near Center; lot 36x100 J. S. Colburn & Co., Real Estate, 1756 7th st.

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GROCERIES.

CRAFT & BUSHNELL—Grocers, buy at home and save money. 952-954 East Twelfth, cor. Fourteenth ave. Tel. 1084 main.

WHERE THE HERO SLEEPS.

Preparing to Turn Grant's Tomb Over to New York.

In the Procession a Feature Will Be Made of School Cadets.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 23.—At a meeting of the Military Committee of the Grant Monument ceremonies, a letter was read from Mrs. U. S. Grant, giving thanks for the honor conferred upon the memory of her husband and stating that while her family was scattered at the present time, some members being in California and others in Europe, she would endeavor to have them all present on April 27th, the day of the monument ceremonies.

Secretary of War Alger wrote that it was his intention to have as much of a force as possible to take part in the parade.

Applications for places in the parade were received from the Corcoran Cadets of Washington, D. C., the Cadet Corps of Girard College of Philadelphia and from the Cadet Corps of the Orchard Lake Academy of Michigan. It is the intention of the military committee to make a prominent feature of military and public and private schools which have uniformed corps.

The Twenty-second Regiment, National Guard of New York, has announced that it will make its first appearance in the new State fatigue uniform.

The troops of the Third and Fourth Brigades, with headquarters at Albany and Buffalo respectively, have offered their services and Adjutant-General Tillinghast and Colonel William Cary Sander have asked the Finance Committee of the Senate for an appropriation of $50,000 to cover the expenses of the two brigades. At a special meeting of the Board of Education, it was resolved, on motion of Commissioner Taft to accede to Mayor Strong's request and ask the principals of all the higher grade grammar schools and the school ship St. Marys, to select children from their schools to take part in the ceremonies. It was resolved to ask the managers of the parade to provide special music from the children. Commissioner Taft said that a representation of from sixteen to twenty from each grammar school of the higher grade would make altogether a quota of about 2,000 children and he believed that the marching of those children would form one of the prettiest sights of the whole parade.

SAVING A LEVEE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ROSEDALE, Miss., March 23.—The river has risen along the extreme end of the lower levee district at Australia, Mississippi, twenty miles north of here and the situation is critical in the extreme. A large stream of water is coming in under the levee and has increased to such an alarming extent that Major Sterling, the chief engineer, was sent for by wire.

Later another call was made for 20,000 sacks and 700 shovels, all the hands that could wield a shovel to come quickly or the line would give way. A special train has left Greenville with the material and is picking up all the hands between Beulah, Mississippi and Round Lake, the latter point being opposite the threatened point. Should this levee give way it would flood many of the finest plantations in the State and a stubborn fight is being made to hold it.

IMPROVED FOR SALE.

$2,500—House of eight rooms with lot 100x133 and windmill, on improved street near cars and trains. Hugh M. Cameron, 479 Ninth st.

$1,400—Large cottage of five rooms and bath, on Felton st, Golden Gate. Will sell on monthly payments or rent for $10 per month. Newly painted and papered. Hugh M. Cameron, 479 Ninth st.

BENHAM & THOMAS,

LIST OF BARGAINS.

$250—Fine lot, Golden Gate; easy terms.
$500—50 ft. lot, well located
$1,000—Two choice lots in Stockton.
$1,200—Modern cottage, large lot, Golden Gate.
$1,800—New cottage, E. 19th st.; large lot.
$3,000—Seven room cottage and barn, East Oakland.
$2,000—Two story house, five rooms, E. 17th st.
$2,500—Five room modern cottage, near business corner.
$3,500—Five room cottage and stable, large lot, 11th ave.
$5,500—Ten room modern house, adjoining business property.
$1,500—Five room house, 13th ave.; business property.
$1,750—Five room modern cottage, 13th ave.

DESIRABLE PROPERTIES FOR EXCHANGE.

$1,600—Clear ranch, 160 acres, Missouri.
$1,000—Five lots, Wichita, Kansas; clear.
$1,000—Block, 12 lots, Acton, Los Angeles Co.
$4,000—125 acres, Howell, Mt.
$5,000—Choice ten acre tract, Pasadena; clear.
$3,500—108 acres, Ben Lomond, clear.
$16,000—183 acres, near Concord; improved.
$1,250—80 acres, Santa Cruz Mts.; clear.
$2,400—160 acres, Tehama Co.
$1,750—Four acres, improved, near Los Gatos.
$3,500—Fifty acres orange, alfalfa and grain and pasture land, plenty of timber, well watered and in irrigation district; good buildings, Yuba Co. five miles from railroad, can be subdivided; this is a great bargain; will be sold or exchanged for Oakland or S. F. property.

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S. C. BALDWIN, teacher of banjo, mandolin and guitar; 4 lessons, 1 per week, $4; 8 lessons, 2 per week, $6; instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Studio. 1003½ Broadway, room 13.

PROF. FRANK PALMER, Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo; 4 lessons, 1 per week, $3, 8 lessons, 2 per week, $5. Instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Bandurria and Spanish Lute, $1 per lesson. Studio, 476 Thirteenth st., cor. Washington, parlor 5.

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FURNITURE WANTED.

A. H. MAYER buys furniture, carpets, pianos, 1135 Market, S. F.; tel. Jessie 761.

THE FRESHMEN VICTORS.

The Rush at Berkeley Gives Prestige to the Class of 1900.

Anticipation of Pleasure Over the Production of the Play.

BERKELEY, Mar. 23.—Two big ciphers appeared on the high hill back of the engineering building this morning as evidence of the victory of the Freshmen over the Sophomores, and repeated cannon shots, yells and bugle blasts throughout the night told the Berkeley people that something was going on. About ninety Freshmen assembled at the old conservatory at 10 o'clock last night and marched to the highest peak back of the grounds. Bonfires were built, songs sung, speeches made, and about 3 o'clock this morning coffee and sandwiches were served.

Meanwhile the class number had been marked in white on the hill and defiances were sounded by bugle and cannon.

The Sophomores assembled in the Dining Association, with one Freshman, whom they had caught and passed the night in a similar manner. About 4:30 A. M they made a detour and attacked the Freshmen from above, but in twenty-five minutes the fifty-five Sophomores were bound. They were set free soon afterwards.

During the scuffle Morgan and Bond, both '99, were slightly injured. Morgan's trouble was from heart disease.

One disagreeable feature of the rush and one heartily condemned by all classes, was the entrance in the rush on the Sophomore side, of several Oakland High School boys, among them Steele and Emery. The Sophomores, as a class, are not held to blame for this, and the boys very nearly decided to give the outsiders such treatment as would set an example in the future. They were spared this time, however, but a repetition of the act will certainly involve severe punishment.

A baseball game between the Alerts and the University will be played at 3:30 this afternoon. The University will be represented by Foster, Sykes, Wheeler, Kuster, McClaren, Kaarsburg, Hoag, Proctor and Cheesborough. These men, with Krug and Hennessey, have been photographed for the "Blue and Gold."

The play this evening promises to be a great success. It is pronounced to be Prof Syle's best effort, the cast is carefully selected and the audience will be the largest which has ever witnessed one of the farces.

Dr. Bailey, who has been lecturing in St. Marks Church on Christianity, is heading a movement for the combination of all sects in local church work This is regarded as especially important in West Berkeley. The unity would be based on four fundamental principles, including the two sacraments of baptism and communion, the Apostles' and Nicene Creeds, and the Scriptures. The work is being supported by Prof. Bailey, Prof Rockwood Dr Babcock, Instructor Price and D. S Woods.

A general meeting of the University Science Association will be held on April 6th, when Dr. J C. Merriam will deliver a lecture on "First Mammals and Their Probable Ancestors."

Dr. W. M Wheeler of the Chicago University gave a lecture under the auspices of the Zoological Society in South Hall yesterday His subject was "The Dicyemids of the California Coast."

Lewis T Merwin, '96, the great University mile walker, track captain and member of the Eastern team, has received an appointment as principal in the Napa High School.

Hugh McDonald of Berkeley met Fred Walker yesterday in Nelson's blacksmith shop and accused him of insulting his sister Walker resented the charge, blows were exchanged and both were arrested They will be tried by jury.

WOOD IN THE CRIME.

He Is to Be Tried Also for the Murder of Pearl Bryan.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NORFOLK, Va., March 23.—The second chapter in the murder of Pearl Bryan, it is said, will be the prosecution of William Wood who was charged by Jackson with contriving the deed for which Jackson and Walling were hanged.

Wood has not been at his home, near Greencastle, Indiana, for several months and to the Bryan family and the police of Cincinnati, both of whom are after him, his whereabouts have been a secret.

Wood was in Norfolk, March 17th. He came here from Philadelphia where February 1st, he appeared at the League Island Navy Yard and enlisted as a landsman aboard the United States receiving ship Richmond. The term of service for which he enlisted is three years On March 13th he was transferred to the receiving ship Franklin at Norfolk Navy Yard. Four days later he was transferred by order of the Navy Department to the gunboat Castine for passage to the South Atlantic Station

Upon the arrival of the Castine at Montevideo, Wood is to be transferred to the U. S. S. Yantic, where he will fill a clerical position. The Castine left Newport News March 17th on her long southward voyage and Wood is by this time well beyond the reach of the civil law unless the Navy Department is appealed to for his return to the United States.

Goodall Backhouse's Yorkshire Relish is unrivalled.

RUGER TO RETIRE.

Colonel Shafter of the First Holds Rank of Senior Colonel.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Major General Thomas H. Ruger, commanding the Department of the East with headquarters at New York, will be retired April 2nd and the President will have a large number of important army appointments at his disposal ranging from Major-General down to Second Lieutenant. All the Brigadier Generals are candidates for promotion, with the chances, it is said, slightly in favor of the selection of General Brooks, stationed at St Paul. The eligible list for the Brigadiership includes two colonels of infantry, en colonels of cavalry and five colonels of artillery. Colonel W. R. Shafter of the First Infantry, stationed in California, is the senior colonel.

It seems to be settled that Major-General Wesley Merritt, stationed at Chicago in command of the Department of the Missouri, will be transferred to New York on the retirement of Colonel Ruger. He has been ordered to duty at New York in connection with the military participations in the ceremonies over the transfer of Grant's tomb to the City of New York.

One of the Brigadier-Generals most likely the one to be selected for promotion will succeed General Merritt in command of the Department of the Missouri.

Baby buggies with hoods $9 50 upwards at Meese's 1009-1011 Washington street.

MRS. MILLER'S CASE.

Mrs. Mary Miller, who with her two sons, was arrested for robbing the St. Lawrence House a couple of months ago, has been giving Mrs. Lydia Prescott considerable trouble of late. The two sons of Mrs. Miller were sent to San Quentin but the charge against the mother was dismissed. All three were "dope" fiends Shortly before Mrs. Miller's arrest Mrs. Prescott took a 7-year-old child from the unfortunate woman and since Mrs Miller's release the latter has imagined all sorts of queer things, among them being that the child has died. She claims that her husband is a miner in Watsonville and would be glad to take the child if he were alive.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

There will be a special meeting this evening of the Board of Health to consider the garbage question. Members of the Board visited the crematory this morning and investigated the charges that the crematory was dumping garbage within the city limits and the result of their investigations will be brought to light this evening.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

STEAMERS TO DEPART.

Del Norte, Grays Harbor.....March 23
Coos Bay, Newport.....March 23
Australia, Honolulu.....March 23
Peru, China and Japan.....March 23
Sunol, Grays Harbor.....March 23
Humboldt, Humboldt Bay.....March 24
Columbia, Portland.....March 24
Czarina, Coos Bay.....March 24
Corona, San Diego.....March 25
Orizaba, Mexico.....March 25
Pomona, Humboldt Bay.....March 25
Arcata, Coos Bay.....March 26
A Blanchard, Oregon ports.....March 27
Farallon, Yaquina Bay.....March 27
Umatilla, Vic and Pgt Sd.....March 27
Eureka, Newport.....March 27
State of California, Portland.....March 29
Colon, Panama.....March 29
Santa Rosa, San Diego.....March 29

STEAMERS TO ARRIVE.

Czarina, Coos Bay.....March 23
Corona, San Diego.....March 23
Umatilla, Vic and Pgt Sd.....March 23
San Mateo, Comox.....March 23
Empire, Coos Bay.....March 23
Washtenaw, Tacoma.....March 24
Farallon, Yaquina Bay.....March 24
Arcata, Coos Bay.....March 24
Pomona, Humboldt Bay.....March 24
Geiser, Crescent City.....March 24
Eureka, Newport.....March 25
State of California, Portland.....March 26
Alice Blanchard, Portland.....March 26
Santa Rosa, San Diego.....March 27
Colon, Panama.....March 27
Mineola, Tacoma.....March 27
City of Everett, Nanaimo.....March 27
Humboldt, Humboldt Bay.....March 28
Queen, Vic and Pgt Sd.....March 28
Crescent City, Crescent City.....March 29
Newport, Panama.....March 29
North Fork, Humboldt Bay.....March 29
Coos Bay, Newport.....March 29
Rio de Janeiro, China and Japan.....March 30

The correct periods of isolation for infectious diseases are as follows: For scarlatina, variola, varioloid and diphtheria, the period of isolation before the child is allowed to return to school should be forty days counting from the first invasion, for measles and varicella, sixteen days is sufficient, for whooping-cough, solation should be prolonged to three weeks after complete cessation of the characteristic whoops; for mumps, ten days after the disappearance of the local symptoms.

Cold water is the safest application for an inflamed eye. Poultices should never be used, and no one should read or sew or use the eyes for any work where close application is necessary while there is the least inflammation or pain in the nerves. It is best to be very careful in the use of the eyes for some time after all soreness has disappeared if they have been badly inflamed.

Mother's Mush is a breakfast delight.

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At 477 Ninth street, is now directed by Messrs. Fred Bandle and A. Redecker, who have succeeded Messrs. Herbert & Sonderleiter. There may be obtained the clear, creamy beer of the Anheuser-Busch Co. on draught—a marvelous beer, which is famed the world over.

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Macdonough—"Shore Acres"
Oakland—"Nutmeg Match"
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Columbia—"[illegible]"
California—"Les Huguenots"
Morosco—"The Great Northwest"
Alcazar—"[illegible]"
Tivoli Opera House—"The Merry Wives of Windsor."
Orpheum—"High Class Vaudeville."
Mechanics' Pavilion—Bicycle races.

TUESDAY MARCH 23 1897

If Oregon's new Senator Corbett attracts just now more attention than usual he may thank his fortune in being born in the shadow of a great name.

San Francisco having refused to pass the ordinance prohibiting the wearing of millinary stores in a theater there is a chance for Oakland to teach the bigger city a lesson.

Blanther has cheated the hangman and incidentally the lawyers out of some work. The days when Texas was a sanctuary for fugitives from justice ended long ago as he learned to his sorrow.

"Doctors build up the constitution Legislators tear it down" says the family physician in 'Jim the Penman.' A good many of those who participated in the recent session at Sacramento entertain the same idea.

A Philadelphia editor remarks "In addition to a law preventing cartoonists from picturing public men as animals, there should be another prohibiting them making asses and such of themselves." It is to be hoped he was not thinking of Californians.

A few days ago the manager of the California Cotton Mills stated that under the existing tariff jute sugar bags can be made in Calcutta and placed on the market in this country after paying the duty at a price 25 per cent cheaper than they can be made here. These are facts that need to be brought forcibly to the attention of tariff-makers.

The good folks of Woodland were overrun with tramps a few weeks ago. The inhuman plan was adopted of setting them to work and now the cruel editor of the Mail writes "The agitation in favor of working the hobos has already had the desired effect as the Weary Willies are giving Woodland the go-by. The taxpayers will not object to losing this class of immigration. Let the good work continue."

"The Examiner" comments on the stealing of stereotyping plates of Pomeroy's Municipal Laws from Bancroft's and says that the law students are sorrowing at being deprived of so valuable a text book. How about the probability that some of the would be attorneys caused the mysterious disappearance. It would be a good and the only excuse for being stalled on so knotty a subject by the Supreme Court Commissioners.

The San Jose Mercury states, on the authority of the president of the Fruit Exchange at that place that there are but fourteen carloads of dried fruit in the warehouse of that institution whereas there were forty at this period of last year. This shows a constantly increasing demand for the dried fruits of that county, the packers of which are very careful to send none but the best of their products to market. It is to be hoped that every other fruit-growing section of the State is as alive to its best interests as San Jose.

San Pedro has just celebrated "Harbor Day," whereupon the Los Angeles Express remarks

"It is difficult indeed to over-estimate the revolution which the construction of this great improvement will bring about in that locality. It means the building of wharves, of dry docks, ship yards, warehouses, new railway lines and the establishment there of foundries factories and a variety of lines of industrial effort."

This should be a lesson to all who would interfere with the government officials in their plans for Oakland harbor and thus jeopardize the appropriation.

Some well-meaning ladies of this city are trying to induce the school children to do something for the relief of the unemployed of San Francisco. President Ralston of the Associated Charities has called a special meeting to consider the needs of the unemployed of this city, and it would seem but reasonable that the work of charity begin nearer home. Some weeks ago Mayor Phelan asked Mayor Davie to try and raise a fund in Oakland for the benefit of the sufferers in India. Mayor Davie replied that there was need in Oakland of all the charity that could be enlisted and this argument is as applicable to the unemployed as to Indian coolies.

Editor Dinkelspiel of the Solano Republican is not easily misunderstood. He has taken offense at a brother editor and the following paragraph is one taken at random

"He is a boodler and blackmailer by profession and an arrant coward when confronted with cold facts. He has a morbid nature and is a conglomeration of egotism, vulgarity, obscenity, dishonesty conceit and rascality. A peddlar of the most disgusting villification, his mental tin-horn is an insufferable bore to the public, and a disgrace to journalism."

It is surely time to ring the gong.

Offices and Office-Seekers.

The distribution of Federal patronage is just now absorbing the attention of the politicians of the country. California is apparently to be especially favored by President McKinley for in addition to the honor of the Cabinet position accorded to McKenna it is now stated that one of the large foreign missions is to be awarded to the coast. In order to secure this though, it will be necessary to sacrifice some of the minor foreign appointments and outside of the selection of Milton Green for the Consulate at Shanghai it is not probable that any other important diplomatic appointments will be distributed here.

Up to the last few days it was regarded as almost a certainty that Speaker Frank Coombs of the Assembly would be Minister to Japan but it is now known that such an event is not to be. Coombs has already received sufficient notice of the change of plans to warrant his telling his friends that he has lost his fight and it is generally understood that the place will go to General Porter who had charge of the last National Census.

As for the local patronage it looks as if there will be nothing to give away outside of the direct heads of departments for it is believed that the sweeping Civil Service rule put into effect by Cleveland a few months ago is far reaching enough to affect every other official. It is even thought that officers such as Assistant United States District Attorneys cannot be removed and as regards the Mint, Customs House, etc those who are mentioned for the appointments have been advised not to promise any patronage for the chances are they will not have any to dispose of.

It looks, therefore, as if the age of the office seeker has passed away and the outcome is liable to be very marked as regards future elections. There will be no inducements outside of pure patriotism to form campaign clubs and parade with blazing torches over miles of rough streets so it will be interesting to note how many have really the interests of their party at heart or whether or not a great deal of the enthusiasm expressed hitherto has been prompted by selfish interests.

Hero Worship.

That Americans are prone to hero worship is painfully evident. It does not even take a celebrity to cause gaping crowds to gather and the newspapers to devote columns of valuable space to the subject—anything or anybody removed even in the slightest degree from the plane of the ordinary is almost as great an attraction as was Gulliver among the Lilliputians. The Pacific Coast which with its aroma of western hardihood and manliness might be expected to withstand such weakness is unfortunately fast falling into the pace set by the stricken East and the arrival in San Francisco of a tenth rate nobleman who is never heard of in his own country is enough to set the whole town agog.

Just now the multitudes are bowing and scraping before savagery as exemplified by the victors of the prize ring. Bob Fitzsimmons who by a blow that left an opponent breathless has been crowned the emperor of modern gladiators is receiving adulation far greater than is in many instances meted out to a conquering general. His perambulations through the streets of the metropolis form the signal for a general suspension of business as the great man passes by and when he partakes of his meal or enters a barber's shop to get his hair cut a frantic crowd blocks the sidewalks and treads on everybody's toes just to get a glimpse at the hero. One of the greatest misfortunes of this sort of thing is that the leading newspapers of the coast are pandering to this vicious appetite. They exhibit with pride at their central offices the blood-stained sponge that mopped the face of the mighty Fitz and the knife that cut the rope to which the fallen Corbett clung when trying to stagger back to his feet. All this is becoming very nauseating and very uncivilizing and it brings about the thought of what has civilization and education accomplished after all. It does not take much of a stretch of the imagination to look back a couple of thousand years to the days when the Roman gladiators met in the Colosseum. The same feeling that made the rabble howl with glee when the slaves were made to battle with each other in the amphitheatre is with us now, the same strain of brutality that maddens with the sight of blood has not been thinned out and the conclusion that the animal is still the predominating influence of our existence is unwillingly forced upon us. Still it is as well not to cultivate it as we are doing now, let the prize-fighter be relegated to the oblivion he deserves and instead of holding up the victors of the fistic arena to public view as heroes and conquerors, let us turn our thoughts to better and purer things.

The minor traits habits, and foibles of distinguished men have a special interest for many people. A correspondent of the Chicago Record gives this side view of three men in the Cabinet

Secretary Long is reputed to be the musical member of the Cabinet. He sings bass in the choir of the Unitarian Church at Hingham and belongs to a musical society in Boston which gives oratorios cantatas and other serious music. It is claimed that the secretary can carry the bass to an anthem as well as any singer in all the six States of New England and that he used to sing solos in church when he was young. Secretary Alger is a good deal of a hand at a war song and will be a great addition to Senator Hawley's choir at Loyal Legion banquets, but he does not pretend to have any technical knowledge of religious music. Mr Sherman does not know one tune from another. During the last campaign, while he was stumping in Ohio, the band played 'I'm Looking for the Bully of the Town" to open his meeting. As soon as it finished that spirited air Mr Sherman rose and declared that nothing so inspired a citizen with patriotism for the performance of his duties to his country as the majestic strains of our grand old national hymn, 'The Star Spangled Banner' and he thanked the band for giving him the text of his speech. Everybody laughed, of course, and Mr Sherman said afterward that it was the most irreverent audience he had ever addressed."

San Francisco has again awoke to the realization of the fact that she needs a post office building. It is about time the periodical fit seized Oakland.

A Central Park.

The recommendation of the park committee of the Board of Trade as to the reclamation of the tide lands between Eighth street bridge and Twelfth street dam is a good one. Two purposes would be served by such a move—first, the obtaining of the park, and secondly the blotting out of one of the most unsightly features of the city. Lake Merritt is a picturesque sheet of water and it is a pity that by turning the eye in an opposite direction a series of mud flats and misshapen pools should immediately destroy the pleasant effect produced by the view to the north.

About twenty acres of land are included in the project advised by the committee and as the title is now claimed by the Oakland Water Front Company, the first step to be taken is to secure a relinquishment of its claim by that corporation. Then a formal dedication must be made for park purposes and work can begin. It would not be a particularly expensive operation, in view of the good that would be accomplished, and it is certain that the outlay would receive the endorsement of every public-spirited citizen.

With the park on one side of Twelfth street dam and Lake Merritt on the other, Oakland could lay claim to the most charming scenic situation in this part of the country. Outside of the boon immediately derived by the citizens, incalculable benefit would result from the standpoint of an advertisement for the town. It is, of course, understood that this lake park is simply a branch of the main issue which calls for a large park within reaching distance of the city.

HARD KNOCKS.

Snapshots That Seem to Need a Little Developing.

Now there are two Jims "out of a job"—Corbett and Ingalls. Or does the ex-champion spell it "j-a-b?" The 'frightful example' role is about the only one left open for either to fill.—Napa Journal.

John J Ingalls knows a little something himself about how it feels to get a knock-out blow. He was knocked out of the political ring in Kansas, and has never been able to crawl under the ropes since.

It is 10 to 1 that Corbett's first wife is just as jubilant as she was when he whipped big John L. Sullivan three years ago.

Carson can now fully sympathize with Canton, as she will know what it is to be left alone in the world after the excitement is over.—Springfield Republican.

The members of the Livermore Athletic Club are considering the advisability of offering Corbett the position of club instructor at a salary of $2 50 a week and board.—Livermore Herald.

A lady in Oakland remarked that if women would only stand shoulder to shoulder, they would yet win the suffrage cause. But that is something they can't do on account of the present style of sleeves.—Livermore Herald.

The Democratic papers are all repeating from the Escondido Times the following "It is estimated that about 1 175,000 men have gone to work since McKinley's election. They are all working for the job of Postmaster in their respective towns, the estimate being about twelve workers for each office. We presume the above may be correct, but it don't hold a rushlight to the situation in 1893, when every man that had voted for Cleveland, with their cousins and aunts, were in line for official plums, and because the great Grover couldn't make the plums hold out he was spoken of in language unfit for the newspapers.—Placer Argus.

A woman writing in one of the magazines lately said "To flirt with a husband after marriage is the sacred duty of every wife." Thereupon that sacrilegious and cold blooded paper, the Louisville Courier-Journal, asked 'But with whose husband?'—Record-Union.

SIDEWALK CUSPIDORS.

Many Towns Besides Oakland Are Anxious to Be Rid of Them.

Mrs Dr. Shuey of Oakland's Health Board is not the only official who is annoyed by people making cuspidors of sidewalks.

It affects other towns, as the following paragraphs prove:

"Chico has improved upon the anti-expectoration ordinances that are rapidly being adopted throughout the country. In addition to enacting a law against spitting on the sidewalks, etc, it has passed an ordinance forbidding the sprinkling of clothes in laundries by the expectoration process. Those who have seen Chinese fill their mouths with water and blow it in sprays over the clothes they were about to iron will naturally hope that Stockton may adopt a like ordinance and have it explained to the barbarians who thus sow seeds of disease in the places where it will bear early and deadly fruit. As people of otherwise cleanly habits will continue to send their clothing to the uncleanly barbarians to be washed, they should be protected from this filthy and dangerous source of disease.'—Stockton Independent.

"The anti-spitting ordinance has gone into effect in San Francisco, but Fresno sidewalks are still decorated by chawful artists with salivated designs resembling as much as anything war maps of Cuba or ex-Secretary Morton's pictorial idea of the interior of a hog."—Fresno Republican.

Mr. Holmes, the librarian of Queen Victoria, is making rapid progress with his life of the Queen. It is characteristic of Her Majesty's love of thoroughness that she revises every sheet of the manuscript herself, and that she will strike out the slightest biographical error which may occur. The Queen's memory is singularly acute, and she very often surprises her Ministers by correcting them in some trifling detail.

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The world, as a whole, is always within about one year of starvation, within two or three years of becoming naked, and within a very few years of becoming houseless. In this country nearly 2 000,000 human beings are added every year to the population. That number would soon crowd existing dwellings to death, unless in each year about half a million of men were occupied in adding to the number of dwellings already existing.

We call ourselves very rich. We gloat over the billions of dollars' worth of property disclosed by the figures of the census. In 1890 the computation reached the huge sum of over sixty-five billions of dollars. Only think of it! How rich we are! But what does it all come to? About one-third of this valuation is the estimated value of the land on which capital has been placed. Land is our endowment, not our creation. If we deduct a reasonable sum for land valuation what is left is the capital of the community—about forty-five billion dollars. This is an estimate in dollars of what we have saved and put to purposes of enjoyment of future use in more than a century of existence as a nation. Again, this is a stupendous sum. What does it amount to? If the value in money of all that we consumed—food, fuel, shelter and clothing—in the census year, figured at retail prices, was equal to fifty cents per day per person, then the product of the census year reached a valuation in terms of money, in round figures, of eleven and one-half billion dollars.

In other words, in a little over a century of existence as a nation, and in less than a century of union under a constitution, we have succeeded in saving products of human labor in the form of public buildings, warehouses, workshops, factories, railways vessels, dwellings tools, machinery, and goods and wares on the way from the producer to the actual consumer, to the amount of a little over $700 worth per head. We consume every year nearly a third as much as this measure of all our savings.—From the Engineering Magazine.

FIRST USE OF GUNPOWDER.

The Tradition that Guns Were First Used by the English at the Battle of Crecy, in 1346.

The invention of gunpowder is shown by Mr. Oscar Guttmann, in his book on the manufacture of explosives, to have been most probably an evolution. The Greek fire of naptha, mentioned by early European and Arabian writers, is believed to have been a composition containing nitre, sulphur and charcoal. Marcus Graecus, who wrote in the tenth century gives a composition for charging rockets and crackers closely approaching that of modern blasting powder. This receipt is quoted by Albertus Magnus, and another one, not so clear, is given by Roger Bacon. None of these writers, however, speak of the use of such substances in any way like the firing of projectiles from guns, on the contrary, they all describe crackers and bombs or maroons, and say that these were discharged into towns from ballistae or catapults or mangonels for the purpose of setting fire to them. Mr. Guttmann has found, however, in the Wardrobe Accounts of King Edward III of England an entry between A. D. 1345 and 1349 giving credit to one Thomas of Roldeston for the King's work for his guns, for 912 pounds of saltpetre and 886 pounds of live sulphur. This seems to confirm the tradition that guns were used by the English at the battle of Crecy in 1346. Mr Guttmann decides that Berthold Schwartz invented this use of gunpowder about 1313. If so, Schwartz must have been very young at the time, or else have lived to a very great age, for the date of his death is given in 1384.—Popular Science Monthly.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The Duchess of Fife has followed the example of her mother, the Princess of Wales, and invested in a spinning wheel. It is a very pretty one of black walnut, mounted with brass, and, although 100 years old, still in excellent working condition. With this wheel the Duchess spins her yarn, which she knits into golf stockings for her husband.

The receipt of a large sum to be devoted to the needs of any destitute family of the town led to a diligent investigation by a charitable institution of Morgantown, W. Va., with the result of establishing the fact that there was not in the town or adjacent country a family so poor that it needed the money.

Dr. Grenier, the member of the French Parliament, who is a convert to Islam, advocates polygamy as a means of checking the decline in the population of France. The doctor's scheme will hardly find favor with the exceedingly thrifty Gauls, a large proportion of whom consider even one wife a too expensive feature of domestic economy.

The greatest dandy in the world is said to be Prince Albert of Thurn, the son of a petty German ruler. This fastidious young man attires himself in a new suit of clothes every day, enough yearly to keep twenty experienced workmen going and to run up a bill of $15,000. Each suit of wearing apparel is highly perfumed with attar of roses at $15 an ounce. He wears no less than 1,000 neckties during a year, being an average of three every day. A laundry employing twelve people is kept specially for washing his soiled linen, which he never wears more than twice, and his cast off boots number 200 pairs a year. The cigarette bill of this highly scented young gentleman reaches the respectable total of $1,000 per annum, and the different sports he indulges in, including hunting, shooting, fishing, golfing and bicycling, cost him more than $75,000.

SHE TALKS BACK.

Mrs. Dr. F. E. McCullough Has a Reply to Her Husband's Statement.

DESERTED FOR ANOTHER.

Disregard of the Duty of a True and Loving Husband.

A BEANS AND MUSH DIET.

Alleged Use of Hypnotism to Secure a Confession of Bad Conduct.

Mrs Mary C McCullough, who is suing her husband, Dr Frank E McCullough for a divorce, has been persuaded by her friends to make public her side of the story, in justice to her family, as she puts it, as well as to herself.

Mrs McCullough is a pretty woman about 25 years of age. She is a brunette and has large, earnest eyes that give force to every word she utters.

When she married Dr McCullough, she says she looked forward to a bright and happy future. No cloud of trouble dimmed her horizon, and she regarded her husband with a love that is only equaled by the aversion with which she now regards him. Her story was corroborated by a younger sister and was related to a Tribune reporter substantially as follows

MRS. McCULLOUGH'S STORY.

"First," said she, 'and her eyes grew moist, 'I wish to say emphatically that I am a respectable woman. I wish some one would take the trouble to go to East Oakland and investigate my character. My life is known to all our neighbors and one word of suspicion has never been whispered about me. If ever I have signed a statement as Dr McCullough says I have, that I had been intimate with other men, I did it under hypnotic influence. Dr McCullough is a hypnotist of no mean ability and he may have hypnotized me while I was asleep. To my knowledge I have never signed such a statement, nor have I made an oral statement to that effect. I had no cause to make such a statement, for I have always been a dutiful wife.

WHEN THEY FIRST MET.

"I met Dr McCullough at the bedside of a friend who was ill. That was early in 1895. I lived in San Francisco, and had no chance to learn his reputation. Toward the end of that year I married him."

The last sentence was spoken in an almost inaudible voice as though Mrs McCullough had signed her doom when that step was taken, and for a few seconds there was a profound silence. Then she began again slowly at first, then indignantly, when her husband's alleged perfidy was recounted.

'Before I had lived with him two months I learned his true character. But I continued to live with him, hoping against hope that I might find some way to bring him back to a realization of his duties and responsibilities.

HER HUSBAND'S CONDUCT.

"Dr McCullough's actions with a young woman—I do not know her name—became so notorious that East Oakland mothers refused to allow their daughters to dance with him. He was a constant visitor at Jones' dancing academy, which met once a week in Masonic Hall, at Twelfth and Washington streets, and this woman was always there with him. Their actions at that dancing academy were what are called 'spooney' and it was the talk of the town. Once I went there in our phaeton. I waited for him to come out. He was the last to come, and with him was that woman. I called to him to take me home that I was his wife, but he put his arm around her and they hurried off down the street. I drove to the home of Dr Wilkes and he took me to my home where he waited till my husband came. I went out then but the door was left open and I heard Dr Wilkes tell my husband that he ought to be ashamed of himself.

'Oh, that's nothing' answered my husband, 'that girl has been my friend ever since she was fifteen years old which is four years ago. I got a lot of money out of her family by treating them.

'Later I watched his office while she was with him for three hours. The blinds of the office window were drawn, and I went into the building. I saw her when she came out. I followed her till I got sight of her face. Then I went home in disgust. How any man could break up a home for such a woman I couldn't understand.

CLAIMED TO BE INSANE

"In the early part of February of this year my husband tried to induce my mother to swear to a complaint charging me with insanity, and it was then that my family learned the true state of affairs and took me to their home in San Francisco. On the 13th of February Dr McCullough left this city, ostensibly to attend a medical convention in San Diego, but in reality to take a trip with this young woman. I heard of it and that is what induced me to go with my folks when they wished to take me home.

A FORMER MARRIAGE

"Dr. McCullough had a wife before he married me. She got a divorce from him in 1893. It was a parallel case with mine. When I married him he told me his former wife was a disreputable woman, and I believed him, but I have since learned the true state of affairs. She was a respectable woman, and during their first few years of married life he made her go out in service to support him. He then went on a boat as a store-keeper, and when he returned she wasn't good enough for him socially. He abused her till she secured a divorce.

HIS PARENTS

"Dr McCullough is ashamed of his parents. He would never talk to me of them and would never let me visit them. I have since learned that his father is a poor tailor at 29 Moss avenue in San Francisco.

"My husband was the most impecunious man at home that I have ever heard of although it is said he is liberal with his associates. When I used to visit my home in San Francisco he would give me five cents and tell me to get the remainder of my fare from my parents. When my mother spoke to him about the food in our house he said there were plenty of beans and plenty of mush. That is what he expected me to live on. He never bought me but one thing while I lived with him, and that was a pair of shoes. Once I took $4 and bought myself a cheap dress, and I never saw so mad a man as he was. He immediately rushed out and bought himself a half dozen pair of shoes and fixed himself up so that no one knew him.

DENIED HIS MARRIAGE.

"He never liked to have me go on his rounds with him, as he wished to appear as a single man. He never admitted that he was married. When I talked of getting a divorce from him he said he would ruin my reputation. There were plenty of men he said who would swear away my reputation for $2 or $3. It was a nightly occurrence for him to leave me alone till 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning. Dr McCullough says he has been practicing medicine for seven years. This is untrue. He has been practicing only two years."

The wife's story was corroborated by her sister Miss Bessie Chambers of San Francisco.

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Here was a peculiar feature of their characters. The serious boy was brim ful of fun while the one that was always smiling hadn't a particle of fun in his composition.

One day their mother found them in the china closet, which was forbidden territory and both boys had been eating preserves. They were their own witnesses, and neither could prove an alibi.

I'll whip you both' said the mother, "and not show any partiality. You both look like little pigs."

Off came the maternal slipper, and Master David had a good trouncing, and the mother had seized Claude to give him the same when she was disturbed by a caller, who stayed so long that the punished twin had stopped crying to listen to the conversation.

Now, Claude, it's your turn," said the mother and whack' whack' went the slipper sole while the wriggling youngster howled and bawled.

'Tain't fair,' he sobbed "you got the wrong pig by th' ear, mamma.'

'Do you mean to say, Claude that you are not as guilty as your brother?"

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All grades and all garments that are made of flannel: Skirts, shawls, wrappers, ploaing blankets, bands, sacques, etc.

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Don't seem much of a line to talk about, but our assortment is immense, covering every style and quality, machine and hand made, plain, lace or embroidery trimmed; cotton, linen and silk. They are all here. Small bibs at 3c, 5c, 7½c, 8c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c to $1.50 each.
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Miscellaneous

Mittens, Bootees, Soft Sole Shoes, Leggings, Sacques, Crib Blankets, Comforters, Saxony Shirts, Silk and Wool Vests, Rubber and Stockinet Diapers, Bands, and many items at present unthought of.

WILL COME HERE LATER.

The Point Richmond Depot Is Not for Passenger Service.

Prospect That a Ferry Run Will Extend Between Oakland and San Francisco.

Although the Valley Road has decided to establish its freight depot at Point Richmond, this does not interfere with the passenger depot in this city. One of the officials of the company said yesterday:

"Oakland will probably get a Valley Road terminal in the future—either a near or a distant one. An Oakland terminal is one of the wishes and plans of the company, and after a while its passenger ferry boats will probably be running from Market street across to a mole a little north of the Southern Pacific mole. When this time comes about Point Richmond will remain the freight terminal, while passenger trains will proceed down the bay shore by some route inside of the Southern Pacific line and out on the mole. And when this comes it may be anticipated that there will be connection of some sort with a street railway system to handle the suburban passenger traffic across the bay, which would become an important feature of the Valley Road Company's business."

Vice President Watt of the Valley Road said last night that nothing has been definitely settled except the depot at Point Richmond.

"Of course we would not have any local passenger business from Point Richmond," he said, "but we could handle very successfully what passenger business we will have and all of our freight business. It will require but one boat to do this, instead of a fleet such as we would be compelled to have were we to attempt to compete with the Southern Pacific Company in Oakland. This one boat could make hourly trips and carry our main line passengers and freight, and do all of the business of the road in a very cheap and yet satisfactory manner.

"It is true that we have had under consideration a route into Oakland through the dells of Fruitvale, over the route once surveyed by the San Francisco and Great Salt Lake Road. This route has been abandoned completely since the selection of Point Richmond. Our road will now come in from the north, and the exact line has not been finally selected. We have two routes between Martinez and Point Richmond under consideration, but have done nothing east of there. The Franklin canyon route is most likely to be chosen."

CHAPLAIN'S REVENGE.

The Play Will Be Presented Before a Very Large Audience.

The theatricals at Berkeley tonight will, of course, be the social event of the day nor will it be lacking in literary interest, as the play, "The Chaplain's Revenge" has been written by Professor L. Dupont Syle. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Students' Aid Society. The cast is as follows: Chaplain of the fleet, Frank Dunn; Baron Broxted, G. D. Kleruiff; Sir Robert Levett, W. W. Mein; Will Levett, H. H. Hirst; Harry Temple, Esq., J. A. Elston; Solomon Stablesbrus, G. L. Cross; Richard Savage, H. C. Marmon; Sir Miles Tackington, J. N. Force; Henry Wharncliffe, a man about town, Elliott Pierce; Roger, a runner, Silas Geis; David, a runner, G. L. Cross; Thomas, an old servant, F. T. Bioletti; postboy, C. W. Coleman; Lady Levett, Miss L. E. Moller; Nancy Levett, Miss E. B. Lyle; Mistress Esther Pimpernell, Miss Elsie Kleruiff; Mrs. Gambit, Miss A. I. Henry; Kitty Pleydell, Miss A. F. Brown.

Chicago Hogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Hogs light, $3.90 @ $4.15; mixed, $3.95 @ $4.17½; heavy, $3.75 @ $4.20; rough, $3.75 @ 3.80; cattle, beeves, $3.50 @ $5.15; cows and heifers, $2.00 @ $4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.30 @ $4.25.

WHY JIM WAS BEATEN

Billy Delaney Tells the Inside History of the Fight.

CORBETT'S QUEER METHODS.

He Refused to Heed the Advice of His Trainer.

NO VITALITY OR STEAM

Delaney Figured on a Defeat After the Fourth Round.

Billy Delaney is very sore in spirit over the result of the championship fight and although it is not true that he and Corbett have had an open quarrel, it is nevertheless a fact that they are at outs and that they have had no communication with each other since the day of the fight.

Billy thinks that Corbett lost the championship because he would not obey instructions, and as the outcome is not only on the face of it a little reflection on his trainers, Delaney thinks that he, too, has got the worst of it. Furthermore, Billy is sorry because he had tipped Jim as a sure winner to his friends and as a result most of them are broke.

"Three days before the fight Corbett was in as perfect condition as it was possible to get him," said Delaney to a Tribune man this morning. He was then on edge and should have eased up until he entered the ring. Muldoon, Al Smith, Billy Madden and other prominent New York sports got in on Sunday, though, and Jim was anxious to show them how much work he could do. In accomplishing this he virtually killed himself.

"The Sunday before the fight, when he should have been resting he actually multiplied his work and all to show off to his Eastern friends. He went out in the morning and jogged ten miles and in the afternoon he punched the bag a long time, played half a dozen games at handball and boxed four rounds each with Woods, Jeffries, McVey and his brother Joe—the hardest kind of boxing, too. He kept this up the next day and even the day before the fight he would not let up. He went out on the road again and did not get in until a quarter to 6 in the evening. All of this was contrary to my instructions. I did not sanction it, but he would not pay any attention to my advice.

OBJECTED TO HANDBALL.

"All along I opposed his handball playing. He liked that form of training because he could beat those he went up against, but I told him it was no good for him. It is too fatiguing for a man who is a greyhound like Jim; it is good enough for a fat fellow and that's all. As I told his brother long before the fight if I hadn't been afraid of being caught I would have burned down the court and stopped his working in it.

"Another thing I disapproved of was that he wouldn't touch liquor in any shape. Some one had given him that theory and he wouldn't take a bottle of ale or a glass of champagne, although I was telling him he needed some malt to supply the drain on his system by his hard work. To give you an idea of the mistake he was making, the night before the fight when he came in from the ten-mile run he was as dry as a bone, though he should have been bathed in perspiration. Why, Fitzsimmons, for the four days previous to the fight was riding around in a buggy with his wife and was taking a drink up town every time he wanted to. As to which man was right in his ideas I will leave the fact of the condition of the two men in the ring.

"I want to say right here that when a man goes into a ring for a finish fight not knowing how long he will be there he should have some superflous flesh. It is a fact that a man will lose five pounds in the course of anything like a good fight. Jim, therefore, should have been prepared for this instead of which by training down to the very last minute, he did not have an extra ounce of flesh on his bones.

THE FIGHT ITSELF.

"The morning of the fight I was a little bit afraid of the outcome, but still I thought Jim would win, because I figured that even though he was not in the condition he ought to be, he was more than a match for Fitzsimmons. After the fight started, though, I got scared. He was hitting Fitz all the time but was not hurting him badly, and I could see that there was no steam or vitality to his blows. In the fourth round Billy Brady, who was in our corner, said to me, 'How do you like it?'

"'I don't like it at all,' I replied, 'I think we are up against it.'

"In the round where Fitz was down Jim might have won, but he stood right over Fitz and wouldn't give him a chance to get up. Jim should have stepped back seven or eight feet, but instead he stood over Fitz waiting for him to rise and the referee had to push him away. Had Jim stood away in the first place Fitz would have got up much quicker and Jim would have had a chance to get a few more punches at him and might have got him out.

"In the tenth round Jim was tiring, and I told him he was in for an all-day fight. He was very confident then and said that he would win. I objected to the incessant talking; he kept up in his corner. There were a couple of his friends there who wanted to talk with him, and Jim instead of taking every opportunity to breathe was conversing with them.

"As regards the result, I want to say that Fitz didn't win on any fluke. Jim can't fight any better than he did and Fitz is entitled to all the credit in the world. Jim shouldn't have melted away in the manner he did after the sixth round, and it was all due to the shape he was in. He was hitting Fitz often enough but not hard enough. I have seen him with a pair of eight ounce gloves bring Jeffries to his knees with a blow and I don't think Fitz can stand a harder punch than Jeffries, who is a veritable young giant.

THE MEN COMPARED.

"The difference between Fitzsimmons and Corbett is that Fitz never loses his hitting powers. He can always hit at the right time and in the right place. Fitz displayed more generalship than I have ever seen in the ring. I don't think the two men will ever fight again. What Corbett should do is to fight every one who wants to meet him for from four to ten rounds, and I want to say that if he can't lick those other fellows, Maher, Choynski, Goddard and Sharkey he can't whip Fitzsimmons.

"I do not consider that I trained Jim for this fight. I did for all his winning ones, but this time there were a couple of men there—I won't mention their names—who could make him eat standing on his head if they wanted him to. I have not seen Jim since the day of the fight, nor have I heard from him. I picked him up in the ring after the knock-out and got him on his legs. When he started to go for Fitz after that I told him to let up and not be foolish. I was with him afterwards in his dressing room and went to the depot to see him off. That is the last I have had to do with him."

Regarding the story in a San Francisco evening paper yesterday that there were ugly rumors of a fake, Delaney responded, "Such talk is absurd. Why you couldn't get Jim to lay down for the United States Mint."

Corbett will be in Oakland on Saturday evening and will give an exhibition at the Macdonough Theater.

IT WENT DOWN IN DEBT.

The Sequel to the Flag Brigade of Two Years Ago.

An Old Debt Recalled and Now There Is a Hunt for Money.

The last chapter of the story of the trials and misfortunes of the Alameda County Midwinter Fair Girls' Flag Brigade was ended today, but there may be a second volume.

Judge Clift entered a judgment today in the case of James A. Joyce vs. Mrs. M. L. Chandler, Mrs. E. H. Long and Mrs. M. S. Schellin for plaintiff, awarding him $216.88.

The trial involves events of three years ago, when the Girls' Brigade was a flourishing organization. The three defendants in the case were president, secretary and treasurer respectively. The brigade had 250 marching members, and great were the preparations for the parade on Alameda County day at the Midwinter Fair. For days beforehand the fond mammas sewed on dresses for their warlike daughters, paying a stipulated sum to the officers of the society for the goods.

When the time for parading came, it was discovered that the money placed in Mrs. Chandler's hands had not been used to pay expenses of the organization, nor could she give an accounting of what she had done with the sum.

The society disbanded amidst the greatest confusion. Directors refused to act, officers suddenly resigned and the girls and their parents absolutely refused to pay another cent.

Joyce wanted the money for the dress goods he had supplied the brigade. He brought suit, and today judgment was entered in his favor. The decision appeared to surprise the ladies of the society, many of whom thought it had been outlawed.

"I thought that bill was outlawed before now," said Mrs. W. F. Amam, one of the directors. "There is no money to pay it, and I suppose Mrs. Schieflin will have to stand the expense of it. There were continual complaints being made over the management of the brigade, and Mrs. Chandler certainly acted very peculiarly. Mrs. Schieflin will have to pay for it all, I suppose, as the brigade girls won't and no one else can."

Mrs. Schieflin is equally positive that the entire amount will not be paid by her, and Mrs. Chandler declares she ought not to be forced to pay.

A WELL-ROUNDED LIFE.

Jacob T. Canmmeyer, Late of New York, Passes Away.

The Deceased Was an Uncle of County Assessor Henry Dalton.

Jacob T. Cammeyer, an old and highly esteemed resident of New York, died at the home of his nephew, Assessor Henry P. Dalton, 1451 Eighth street, last night.

Mr. Cammeyer was a native of New York and was 68 years of age.

He came from one of the old Dutch families of the State, and numbered among his ancestors some of the early Governors of New York.

Up to eight years ago he was a prominent merchant of this native city and accumulated a large fortune. Since retiring he has been a great traveler.

County Assessor Dalton was the old gentleman's favorite nephew, and Mr. Cammeyer had visited Oakland a number of times. He and Mr. Dalton visited the World's Fair in Chicago together.

Last year Mr. Cammeyer was quite low in New York, and Mr. Dalton went on there to attend him. Mr. Cammeyer recovered, and just fall he came to live with his nephew in this city.

Mr. Dalton will probably inherit the greater part of his uncle's large fortune.

The funeral will take place next Wednesday at 3 P. M. The services will be held at the residence of Mr. Dalton. The remains will be interred in Mountain View Cemetery in this city.

A CLEVER MUSICIAN.

No instrument is making more rapid advancement of late than the banjo. No instrument is as picturesque, as pleasing; none can give such marvelous emphasis to chords. Oakland is to be congratulated upon having as a permanent resident, a teacher of the banjo, in S. C. Baldwin, who is absolutely without a rival on this instrument. He has done much to elevate its musical character, his public recitals have accentuated his reputation and his success as a teacher is acknowledged by many of our most prominent society people. He is easily the best teacher of the banjo, mandolin and guitar in this city.

A STRONG ANSWER.

Reply to the Complaint of John Aylward of Livermore.

NO ATTEMPT AT FREEZE-OUT.

Why the Assessment Objected to Was Considered Necessary.

J. STANLEY'S PROPOSITION.

Delinquency Only on Stock of One of the Shareholders.

The Livermore Water Company, William J. Dingee, Frank J. Moffitt, William F. Boardman, J. M. Carroll, E. P. Cook and Edward Magary Jr., the defendants in the suit brought by John Aylward of Livermore have by their attorney George W. Baker, filed their answer to the complaint and in it they give their side of the case.

STANLEY'S PROPOSITION.

On the second of June, 1896, says the defendants James Stanley came to Messrs. Dingee and Boardman with a proposition to form the Water Company. He represented that he owned all of the property mentioned in the complaint but said that Elizabeth Rogers held on it a mortgage which she had foreclosed, although the time for redemption had not expired.

He said also that the property would be lost if not redeemed and wanted to form a corporation to redeem it and put it on a paying basis by the expenditure of a small sum.

After a series of negotiations, it was agreed to join with Stanley in the enterprise and the company was formed.

Stanley, Boardman, and Dingee visited the property and found the plant in a very dilapidated state, needing the expenditure of several thousand dollars to put it in paying condition.

AN ATTEMPT TO MORTGAGE.

The defendants tried to raise the money by mortgaging the property but no one could be found who would take the loan and the proposition to bond it proved equally as unsuccessful. The $6,000 mortgage held by Mrs. Rogers was not paid and there was a need for other money.

Dingee and Boardman advanced something over $8,000 toward the repair of the plant and other debts standing and accruing brought the debt up to $18,131.89.

WHY ASSESSED.

This they say was the reason for levying the assessment complained of by Aylward and thus, without his assistance or aid the corporation was formed.

They further allege that their connection with the Company has always been in good faith and as an evidence of this they offer to transfer to the plaintiff or to any person whom he may name all of the stock of the corporation upon repayment to them of the money they have expended.

AYLWARD NOT IN IT.

They admit that William J. Dingee and James Stanley did, in June 1896, agree to form a water and power corporation for the purpose of supplying the town of Livermore but they deny that the plaintiff—Aylward was a party to the contract, or that the shares of stock which went to Stanley were to be held in trust for him. It is also denied that there was any agreement whatsoever as to the disposition of the stock which Mr. Dingee took as his share.

The allegation that it was agreed that Mr. Dingee should have the direction of the affairs of the new corporation and further that no assessment should be levied is denied in toto as is the statement that Mr. Dingee was to furnish $25,000 to relieve the $6,000 incumbrance on the property, pay the plaintiff $2,000 and to purchase certain riparian rights and to put the plant in good repair.

MORE DENIALS.

In regard to bonding the property the defendants admit that Dingee and Stanley did agree that after the corporation was formed they would attempt to mortgage or bond the property to take up the Elizabeth Rogers' lien and for such other purposes as might be necessary but deny that Mr. Dingee ever estimated the property to be worth $100,000 and on information and belief deny that Aylward ever owned the property in question.

The formation of the corporation and the distribution of the stock they admit but deny that the stock held by Stanley was to be held by him for Aylward.

OLD STANDING.

The standing of the property before the transfer to the company is a matter of which the defendants had no knowledge. It appeared in the name of James Stanley and he made the deed to the corporation so on information and belief the answer denies that the plaintiff caused Stanley to execute or deliver the deed.

That F. J. Moffitt was through the instrumentality of Mr. Dingee invested with some of the stock and then made president of the company or that he accepted the stock for the purpose of defrauding the plaintiff is specifically denied.

The amount which Mr. Dingee and the other defendants advanced to better the property was $10,600 and not $4,000 and in regard to the assessment of $10 a share, they assert that it was regularly made at a meeting of the stockholders, in conformity with the law governing corporations, and that all of the stockholders have paid the assessment save and except James Stanley. They deny that the assessment was made for the purpose of depriving Aylward of his rights or that Mr. Moffitt took his office as president for any other purpose than to serve the corporation.

They deny that Mr. Dingee is not solvent or that by carrying out the assessment the plaintiff will be cheated out of his property.

Y. M. C. A. Reception.

There will be a members' social reception at the Y. M. C. A. tonight, under the auspices of the young people of the First Presbyterian Church. A pleasant time is assured all who attend, and all young people are cordially invited to be present.

MABEL DUFF.

The Wayward Girl May Be Reformed at Beulah Park.

The efforts of Judge Allen and Chief of Police Lloyd to save pretty Mabel Duff may be rewarded with success. The three held a long consultation this morning, and the girl agreed to go the Rescue Home at Beulah Park. Judge Allen is deeply interested in the girl's case.

"The girl is not bad at heart," said he, "and I believe under the proper influence she will reform."

While the girl is hardened she has more than once expressed a wish to lead a better life, and those who are interested in her case are quite sanguine that by keeping her away from her old associates for a year or so she will return to the ways of her early youth. Her waywardness, they claim, is simply the result of her environments. The girl is but 18 years old and has led her present life for three years.

Sheep Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Sheep closing strong. Lambs a shade lower, native sheep, $2.80@$4.50; westerns, $3.75@$4.50; lambs, $3.80@$5.50.

FINE PLAYS EVERYWHERE

"Shore Acres" Will Be Seen Tonight at the Macdonough.

The "Nutmeg Match" Scores a Hit at the Oakland Theater.

A fine scenic production of James A. Herne's beautiful play, "Shore Acres," will be given at the Macdonough Theater this evening and tomorrow night.

To one who has not seen this charming idyl of New England life and character a mere description could scarcely be anything but misleading. It comes within the coined-term class of "atmosphere plays," and the atmosphere is that of a little lighthouse settlement on the coast of Maine. The characters, and there are a goodly number, are native to the soil, their speech and thought their own. The usual climax and situation are almost altogether wanting, in fact entirely so, if one except the fight between the two brothers in the lighthouse. Nevertheless, the story is intensely interesting and abounds with humor and pathos. The character of Nathaniel Berry is admirably drawn, and represents a new departure in dramatic literature. The love scenes between Helen and the young physician are also attractive and add greatly to the interest of the play. There are also a number of little children in "Shore Acres," and the author introduces them in such a skillful manner that they never become tiresome.

OAKLAND THEATER.

There was a large audience at the Oakland Theater last evening who enjoyed the delightful New England comedy "A Nutmeg Match," and became so demonstrative in their approval that the action of the play was, at one time suspended and Mr. Heron was compelled to address the audience, so persistant were they in demanding additional encores to the musical specialties. That Lottie Williams and Ed. J. Heron have won the popularity with musical comedies interspersed with catchy selections is shown by the large audiences they are attracting. "A Nutmeg Match" is a three-act New England play. Lottie Williams is a vivacious little woman, who as Cinders is seen to excellent advantage. Brick, the village boy as created by Mr. Heron is a peculiarly eccentric character that revels in laughter. Mr. Nannary gave a very artistic and well modulated interpretation of Dave Blake, a reformed drunkard. The Uncle Bob of Mr. Hallett is a clever piece of character work, but he became inaudible at times. The play will run all the week.

BALDWIN THEATER.

Fanny Davenport closes her engagement at the Baldwin at the end of this week. "Gismonda" is billed for the entire week except Saturday evening when "La Tosca" will be presented. Miss Davenport will give silver Sardou-Davenport souvenirs to the ladies attending Saturday night's performance.

CALIFORNIA THEATER.

The interest in the French opera is on the increase. There is a very large sale for "The Huguenots" tomorrow night. On Thursday night everybody interested in opera should want to hear Massenet's great work "La Navarraise," which ranks high among modern compositions. The Saturday matinee and night bills are exceptionally popular, "Aida" comes next week, and Albers will be a great card in "Rigoletto." "La Juive" made such a success at the last matinee that it is to be repeated by request. It is likely "Hamlet" will be given later. Albers is the greatest Hamlet now on the stage. The best performances are just coming.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

A thrilling melodrama "The Great Northwest" is the attraction at the Grand Opera House. It is one of the most exciting and thrilling plays that has ever been staged at Morosco's Grand Opera House. It deals with Western life and scenes and there are some very elaborate stage settings in the third act, when a blizzard overtakes the hero. Irma Fitch, the new soubrette is a bright, clever actress and sings some new songs very prettily.

THE TIVOLI.

An enjoyable performance of "The Merry Wives of Windsor" was given at the Tivoli last evening. It is a delightful opera with plenty of tuneful music. Laura Millard made her first appearance after a long absence and was very warmly welcomed by the audience. Her singing and acting is better than ever before. In the new opera the entire Tivoli cast is well placed.

ALCAZAR THEATER.

"The Strategists" was given a clever performance by the Alcazar stock company last evening. It is a thoroughly laughable farce full of amusing incidents.

THE ORPHEUM.

There is an excellent bill at the Orpheum this week and several new artists were introduced at last evening's performance. The house was packed last night when the novelties were presented, and most of them proved very successful. Werner and Reider, Tyrolean singers, came first of the new things, and a very clever and pleasing feature was an imitation of the nightingale, which was received with great applause. The McAvoys in a sketch called "Hogan's Alley," did some amusing character work.

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Unless President Mott shall call a special [illegible] meeting of the [illegible] City Council was held [illegible].

The [illegible] and [illegible] dropped into [illegible] Mr Pringle [illegible] meeting [illegible] dent's [illegible] bush.

Mayor-elect [illegible] appointment [illegible] being [illegible] tedious [illegible] but his look for his successor.

At the conclusion of the reading of the minutes [illegible] that when the Council [illegible] adjourn it [illegible] to next Monday night. His motion was carried.

OFFICIAL BONDS

Then Manuel moved that the matter of fixing the official bonds of the various officers elected be taken up, which was d[one].

The bonds were fixed as follows:

Mayor [illegible] City Attorney $ 000 City Engineer [illegible] 000 Auditor $10,000 Treasurer $[illegible]

ELECTION TOOTH [illegible]

When the matter of fixing the rate of [illegible] was taken up [illegible] fixed the rate [illegible] after two ballots had been taken. The first vote [illegible] ing the rate [illegible] Manuel [illegible]

Ayes—D[illegible] and Pr[illegible]

Noes [illegible] Heitman [illegible] Kaufman [illegible]

The [illegible] to draw $10 [illegible]

Ayes [illegible] Buckland, Dow, Heitman, Kaufman [illegible] Watkinson—7

Noes—Manuel, Marshall, Towle and President Mott.

NO MONEY FOR McLEAN.

The matter [illegible] $200 toward the expenses of Dr McLean of Alameda who went to Washington in the interest [illegible] appropriation bill was [illegible]

J P Taylor [illegible] the appropriation [illegible] was one of the committee [illegible] of Oakland which [illegible] Congress to dredge Oakland harbor [illegible] cutting the tidal canal [illegible] to do [illegible] McLean $200 said Taylor [illegible] Oakland committee [illegible] do the same [illegible] that the Council would [illegible] appropriate the amount [illegible] McLean was successful. He said he thought that Dr. McLean had [illegible] that could have been expected of him. He said there had been friction between the two [illegible] advance [illegible] Oakland's [illegible] Dr McLean's expense.

M J [illegible] in favor [illegible] Alameda [illegible] harbor [illegible] He thought it would be good policy to allow the bill.

[illegible] to know what results Dr McLean had accomplished until Taylor [illegible] as [illegible] the California representatives.

[illegible] The [illegible] money [illegible] spent on Oakland harbor.

Taylor [illegible] favored the [illegible] Oakland harbor [illegible]

[illegible] McLean [illegible] yet he [illegible] agreement [illegible] Oakland [illegible] be improved.

Mr [illegible] more [illegible] made [illegible] it was [illegible] committee [illegible] to [illegible] $20,000 [illegible] printing [illegible] Senate and was bound to pass.

Fa[ssett] said it was not bound to pass.

Mott explained [illegible] we want a representative in Washington we ought to send one of our own.

BASSETT'S VIEWS

Bassett [said] McLean went to Washington to get the tidal canal cut through and Taylor agreed with him, but said he had acted in good faith and was now working for Oakland harbor.

Towle asked if the city of Oakland had ever paid Dr McLean and he was [told] that about a year ago the Council had appropriated $200 but that Auditor Snow had refused to draw the warrant.

The vote to adopt the resolution appropriating $200 toward the expense of the Alameda Health officer in Washington resulted as follows:

Ayes—Bresnahan, Buckland, Heitman, Marshall, Watkinson—5

Noes—Bassett, Dow, Kaufman, Manuel, Towle and President Mott—6

Manuel moved that the consideration of the ordinance fixing water rates for the ensuing year be taken up, but he was told that the ordinance had not been in print long enough so he withdrew his motion.

The ordinance that of authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase furniture for Engine House No [illegible] at a cost of $[illegible] was considered and unanimously passed to print.

The objections of Mrs. Hudson and others to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners on the improvement of Twelfth avenue from [illegible] Twenty-second street to East [illegible] fourth street was taken up.

H M Cameron a protestant was called and sworn. Mr Cameron called [for the] map of the assessed district, which he proceeded to study at his leisure. Many [illegible] of the Councilmen drummed on their desks while [others] conversed in low tones.

Finally President Mott who had become quite restless thought the Council [had] waited quite long enough.

[Were you] ready Mr Cameron? said h[e].

CAMERON NOT READY

Well I'm not answered Cameron and he displayed an enviable abandon as he continued his studies.

When he had found what he sought for Mr Cameron explained his grounds for objecting to the report of the commission. He first objected to the payment of $[illegible] to the secretary of the commission saying that the amount was excessive when there were but two [or three] weeks to be improved. He further objected to the payment of $100 to Judge Yule as attorney's fees saying the commission had pledged itself not to employ an attorney but to secure the services of the City Attorney. He thought $30 engineer's fees were excessive as all the work had been gone over before. His last objection was to the values which he said were not properly equalized.

Mr Fraser concluded Mr Cameron's [objections]. [Mrs Hudson] is ill and could not attend so he asked me to explain his objections. He understood when he gave the city a strip of land 20 by 300 feet that there would be no more assessments. He thinks it is unjust.

The commission was composed of Charles D Hayes, H N Morse and M J Blue. F Main acted as secretary.

Mr Hayes was called upon to explain the Commission's position. He said the Commission had taken upon itself the duty of trying to accomplish what two other Commissions failed to do. It had known the necessity of being cautious and had thought when it made its report that it had done what was right just and proper. He said only one half of the assessments had fallen below Twenty-second street and the other half was above it. The Commission had notified the property owners several times and had held meetings to learn their views. Mr Cameron had attended one of the Commission and his [views] had been taken into consideration. The Commission had reduced the assessments $[illegible] 000 lower than the assessments of the last Commission and it had taken great care that the property should not be overtaxed. Only one of the thirty people who had protested said he had thought it worth while to appear before the Council. The Commission he held had done its best to equalize matters and for the matter of protestants there was always some one who was ready to kick.

Towle wanted to know if $[illegible] was not excessive for a secretary's fees and Hayes gave an outline of the secretary's work.

H N Morse said the work had taken two or three months. The Commission had given a bond of $5,000 and had a bid without pay. The work had not been done on two blocks but on fifteen blocks. All this had been figured out by the square foot and he considered the secretary's compensation fair.

F Main the secretary explained the work which had been done. In answer to Manuel he said he had possibly done work for a month and a half, although he had never figured it out. The rate had probably been $175 a month. Then Manuel moved that the objections be overruled.

Bresnahan said he would like to hear what E J Hardy who was present, had to say on the matter. Hardy spoke at some length on the side of the Commission. He did not think the secretary's salary was excessive and he would like to see the sewer put in if possible before next winter which if the objections were sustained, could not be done.

OBJECTION OVERRULED

The vote was then taken and the objections were unanimously overruled.

The motion to adjourn when put also created a contest as several important pieces of business had not been taken up. The adjournment was taken on the following vote:

Ayes—Bassett, Bresnahan, Buckland, Heitman, Manuel, Towle—6

Noes—Dow, Kaufman, Marshall, Watkinson and President Mott—5

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were disposed of:

To grade curb and macadamize Seventh [and] Seward street.

To grade and curb [illegible] Twenty first street from Nineteenth to Twenty-third.

Directing the City Engineer to make plans for extension of the Curtis street sewer.

Ordering paid the salaries of street sprinklers, street laborers, sewer flushers and the employes of the Police and Fire Telegraph.

Authorizing the new City Attorney to purchase $2[illegible] worth of books for his office.

To grade curb and macadamize East Fifteenth street, between First and Second avenues.

Of intention to change the grade on Fourth avenue between one hundred feet south of East Eighteenth to West line of Newton avenue. Street Committee.

Fixing salaries of election officers at $[illegible]

Of intention to grade curb and macadamize Lee street. Street Committee.

Granting J Anselmi permission to move a barn at Third and Magnolia streets.

Granting use of the Memorial Day Committee of the Council Chamber from April 10th to June 1st.

Granting permission to construct by private contract sewer in Fulton street from Eighth to Eleventh.

Ordering paid the claim of The Enquirer Publishing Company for $256 for printing the Auditor's report.

To sidewalk [Linden] street from Eighteenth to Twenty-first.

Denying the petition to macademize Park Way.

Of intention to sidewalk Eleventh avenue from East Twenty-third to East Twenty-eighth.

REPORTS

The report of Bailiff Mitchell of the Police Court showing receipts for February to have been $336 was filed.

The report of Chief Lloyd of licensed saloons for February showing the number to have been 165 was filed.

The report of City Wharfinger Rutherford showing receipts for February of $611 09 was filed.

The report of City Superintendent of Schools McClymonds was filed.

The report of Treasurer Gilpin for February was filed.

CLAIMS

The claim of Robert Grant an extraman of Engine No 2 for salary during the month of February, 1897, was ordered paid.

The claim of Walsh and Koenig for $150 for land sold to the city as a road to the proposed West Oakland Park was allowed.

The claim of Joseph Court for $150 damages done his stock of shoes at Twelfth and Peralta by the bursting of a hose used by the sewer flushers, with an accompanying recommendation from the Board of Public Works, was referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

The claim of Webb N Pearce for $100 as compensation for work done in the City Treasurer's office in 1895 was allowed.

The claim of The Tribune Publishing Company for $55 70 for printing an ordinance ordering the opening of a street through Cemetery Creek Canon was referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

The claim of Stocker & Holland searchers of records for $400 for compiling an abstract of land on the shores of Lake Merritt was allowed. The following had filed affidavits to the effect that the claim was just: J K Peirsol, C K Marshall, A A Long, Du Ray Smith, R S Leckie and C W McKeane.

LIQUOR BONDS

The liquor license bonds of the following were approved: M Fray & C Wemmer 412 Eighth street, O Streit, 1050 Franklin street, John Coyne Fifth and Peralta, Manhan & Pedro, 928 East Fourteenth street, John Lynch, 1457 Seventh street, J J Carroll, Ninth and Broadway streets, S Gordon, 1259 Broadway and O F Rooney, Oakland Mole.

LIQUOR LICENSES

The following were granted permission to obtain liquor licenses:

Edward Schaad, 502 Telegraph avenue, John Hartz 855 Twenty seventh street, Frank Bieler 809 East Fourteenth street, C C Potter 1233 San Pablo avenue, P Kisich, 465 Twelfth street, O J Mullen 920 Washington street, Chas H Appledorn 5 8 Washington street, Manhan & Pedro 928 East Fourteenth street, John Lynch, 1457 Seventh street, J J Carroll, Ninth and Broadway, S Gordon 1259 Broadway, O F Rooney, Oakland Mole.

COMMUNICATIONS

From Christensen & Montgomery for liquor license bonds at 851 Washington street. License Committee.

From A T Schroder et al to sidewalk Kirkham from Fourteenth to Fifteenth streets. Street Committee.

From George T Hawley et al to grade etc Lee street from Vernon to Adams. Street Committee.

From Contra Costa Water Company petitioning for electric light at Water and Webster streets. Street Lighting Committee.

From the Board of Public Works recommending $30 for decorating fire apparatus and for $375 for plans for a park. Tabled.

RAILROAD TAXES.

City Attorney Peirsol reported in regard to the suit of the railroad company against the city for the recovery of taxes paid in 95-6 on property alleged to have been assessed also by the State Board of Equalization that the outcome of the suit depended upon whether the State Board had the right to assess the roadway and roadbeds of switches, sidetracks and the local tracks and also whether the correct amount of property had been assessed by the City Assessor. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

OPPOSE ANNEXATION

A protest against calling the proposed election on the annexation of the outside district of Temescal and Claremont signed by forty-five property owners stated that the city was already out $2 00 on such an election and that the petition for the election was illegal. Ordinance and Judiciary.

BILLS ALLOWED

The following bills, reported upon favorably by the Finance Committee were allowed:

Associated Charities $150, L D Armstrong $20, C H Bayley $2 50, E W Bradley 65 cents, E T Brown $49, O Burns [illegible] $3, J L Bromley $15, G W B[illegible] $14 93, R H Chamberlain $7 75, California Electrical Works $18 20, A Carlisle & Co $[illegible] 5, California Paving Co $[illegible] Oakland Gas Light and Heat Co 75 cents, S Davis $1 50, W G Davidson $[illegible] Dalziel & Moller $1 $1 50 $3 25 50 cents, H D Dawson $1, Eagle Iron Works $9[illegible] W P Fuller & Co $3 60, Mrs [illegible] $1 50 $1 50, W B Greenbaum $1, Herman Gutto $4 50, Robert Gilmore $6, Garrett & Taggart $11 25, F L Helcher $1 50, C F Himpel $4 $[illegible] $2 $2, Ingram & Co 75 cents, Jordan Printing Company $[illegible] $15 $1 25, Albert Kayser $[illegible] G A Kirk $10, F A Leach Jr $[illegible] William Lebrich $[illegible] $2, Stewart Merrill $[illegible], Machell Bros $10, Theo Meetz $10, $10 J J Mitchell $[illegible] Walter Meese $[illegible] T Morine $40, C L Maxwell & Son 50 cents, L A Machell $1[illegible] E M [illegible] $1, A McAuley $6, Oakland Enquirer Publishing Company $114 25 $84 60 $15 $6 65 $[illegible] Charles I Ott $25, Oakland Rubber Company $2 0, Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company $120 20 $121 10 $1 65 $1 05 17 cents $11 $[illegible] $[illegible] Pacific Postal Telegraph Company $4 0[illegible] Peterson & Samuels $18, C E Proctor $27 $56 $45, John A Ross [illegible] Sons Co $62 50, J B Reading $8, F H Reed $36 $13 50 $60 $27, Stocker & Holland $[illegible] Sohst Brothers $[illegible] $6 $4, Schlinger Brothers $40, O K Stampley $4, J Shuler 50 cents, Paul Seiler $11 50, C Schreiber $7 50, Joe F Shrader $10 50, A W S Smith 75 cents $1 25, Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company $5 50, 15 cents $15 $1 10 15 cents 75 cents 50 cents $5 20, the Oakland Paving Company $2 90, E R Tutt $49 80 $1 20 $2 50 $2 90, Tribune Publishing Company, $20 $[illegible] $16 36 $12 [illegible] $4 23 $10 91 $46 18 $246 05 $18 50 $10 0[illegible] $[illegible] $6[illegible] $14 93 $43 30 $9 1[illegible], James P Taylor $11 94 $19 06 $2 37, Travers & Leal $6, Fred Wuesoher $6 50, J H Wilson $4 25, H L Wetzel $184 50, Western Union Telegraph Co $1 85, S H Wilson $3 25, J C Wilson & Co, $3 40 $[illegible].

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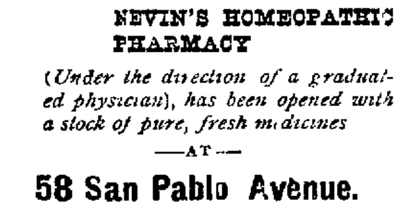

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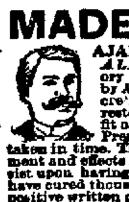

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Steps Taken to Bring the Society Into Still More Prominence.

President A. J. Ralston presided at the quarterly meeting of the Associated Charities which was held at the Asbury M E Church last evening.

Superintendent Helen Kelly's report showed that the total number of applications for relief during the quarter from December 1, 1896 was 251. Of this number 50 were new family cases 77 new single cases, 84 recurrent family cases and 40 recurrent single cases The association had referred to the Oakland Benevolent Society 99 family cases and 7 single cases Many other families and persons had been assisted by referring to other charitable and church societies

Mrs Kelly emphasized the evil of indiscriminate alms giving and explained the aims of the Associated Charities in the following words

MRS KELLY'S REPORT.

"One great aim is to give work to those who apply thus making them feel that they are not dependent, but are earning what they receive Hence, through the employment bureau work has been found for 50 persons Three men 6 women and 3 girls found permanent work and twenty-five men and 15 women work seventy two and a quarter days Out of the 50 employment cards sent out those returned showed that the sum of $9 70 had been earned for days work Two hundred and forty six meal and 160 lodging tickets were returned by the parties receiving the same from private houses. During the quarter 5? prominent citizens have become members of the Associated Charities

Persons are requested to refer all able bodied men asking aid to the wood yard of the charitable organization, and women and children to the general office of the society, room 7, Enquirer building

WOOD YARD

The report of J B McLeod, manager of the wood yard, showed that for the period from September 2?, 1896 to March 20, 1897 the total number of men who have worked in the yard, 1 906 largest number on any day 27, smallest number on any day, 3 average number per day 12 total number of meal tickets issued 3 120 of lodging tickets issued, 42 of grocery orders issued 6? of cords of wood cut 1?? of ferry tickets 56

Mayor-elect W R Thomas was present and spoke very heartily in favor of the work of the Associated Charities

Captain Thomas was informed by the president that he was an ex officio member of the society

M J Keller chairman of the employment committee said there was an opportunity of getting employment for men at Mountain View Cemetery at $1 50 per day

P M Taylor who had been appointed to a committee for investigating the advisability of producing Julius Caesar for the benefit of the organization reported that with the data he had so far obtained the plan did not look feasible but asked for further time

Discussion as to the best method of advertising the society's work was touched upon by Dr Chapman Mr Fish Mr. McKnight, and President Ralston

ONE BRIDGE DESIRED.

The Board of Trade Hears a Report From Its Engineer, Colonel Bridges.

The Park Committee Presents the Result of Its Recent Investigation.

The Board of Trade held its annual meeting Saturday and the following business was transacted

M. Waters addressed the Board at some length in an interesting manner relative to the effort of the Christian Endeavors to bring to this coast and Oakland a large concourse of representative citizens, also that the 13th day of July had been especially set apart as Oakland's day to entertain the Endeavors He therefore urged that as liberal subscriptions would be required from Oakland business men and others in order to properly provide for the guests, it might not be best to also expect cash for the subscriptions for the Fourth of July After discussion it was moved and seconded that the board meet with the Christian Endeavors the exposition directors and the merchants directors Tuesday evening at the Merchants' Exchange rooms, Central Bank building to consider these matters

PARK COMMITTEE

F C Sessions, chairman of the park committee reported as follows

Oakland Cal March 19 1897 To the Directors of the Oakland Board of Trade—Gentlemen Your committee on parks are for various reasons as yet unable to report decisively concerning the project of acquirement of a large park in the suburbs of the city but hope to be able at a later date to accomplish all that can reasonably be desired or expected

In consideration of the subject in its varied aspects we have however concluded to make favorable recommendation of what may very properly be deemed a branch of the same subject, or closely allied to it

There are about twenty acres of tide and overflowed land in the north arm of the estuary lying between Eighth street bridge and Twelfth street dam This parcel is a portion of the water front property the ownership of which is in litigation between the City of Oakland and the Oakland Water Front Company

The board of engineers in charge of the harbor construction considering the equities of the matter and the apparent necessity of closer and more frequent communication between East Oakland and the central part of the city have established a pier bulkhead line the south line of Eighth street extended easterly to the easterly shore thus surrendering the control of all lying northerly of said line of Eighth street and permitting it to be filled in

We therefore call attention to the many desirable ends that would be accomplished by the filling in and reclamation of this tide land

The economical edging of Lake Merritt The filling to the Eighth street bridge saving the cost of construction The removing of the pressure of travel on Eighth street and Twelfth street by the opening up of other avenues The construction of a park which would remove the unsightly mud flats formal dedication being made for park purposes, and a plan being adopted now for improvement of the same, to be carried out as fast as funds would permit

We therefore recommend that the project be approved by your board and the park committee be instructed to interview the Oakland Water Front Company to ascertain if they will relinquish their claim to said tide lands Respectfully submitted, Park Committee

"E C SESSIONS, Chairman."

THE BRIDGE.

Col Lyman Bridges civil engineer presented drawings of a bridge across the estuary sixty-two feet wide, which would accommodate all the traffic on the same level of broad and narrow gauge trains electric cars wagons and foot passengers He strongly advocated this method of construction and showed by drawings that the danger of collisions would be minimized After considerable discussion it was moved, seconded and carried that the following resolution be adopted

Resolved, That in the matter of construction of the bridge across the estuary between Oakland and Alameda it is the opinion of this board that there should be only one bridge arranged to accommodate the steam and electric railroads and the carriage and foot travel upon one level and that it should be at a height above high tide sufficient to allow the small craft to pass under without swinging the draw say ?? feet in the clear'

It was moved seconded and carried that a committee of three President J P Taylor E C Sessions and M J Keller together with Col Bridges present this matter to the Board of Supervisors.

BEHIND THE MASK.

The Ebell Society Is Making Arrangements for a Fine Spectacle.

Oakland society will follow in the wake of societies of larger cities and will have a bal masque The ball will surpass the San Francisco Mardi Gras in exclusiveness and will try to excel it in brilliancy

Reed Hall will be the scene of the festivities which are set for Tuesday night April 20th Who are arranging the affair is a question for the names of the prime movers are shrouded in mystery The names of the patronesses appear on the list of the invitations and include ladies from three cities

The latter are Mrs A N Brown and Mrs W J McNutt of San Francisco Mrs John B Mhoon Mrs Orestes Pierce and Mrs John K Gurcock of Oakland and Mrs James Spiers and Mrs Frank M Wilson of Berkeley

Acceptances and refusals of the bal masque are to be sent to mysterious box 200 at the Postoffice the same box where the acceptances to the Wednesday Night Cotillons found their way Requests for invitations for friends must be directed to the same mysterious address There will be no admission except by invitation and every one attending must be masked Masks must be raised before a committee which will see to it that no undesirable person enters Oakland society is excited over the affair, and many are the blissful anticipations of future pleasure

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS

MONDAY MARCH 22 1897

Mary Ann Garvey to Thomas Garvey NE Atlantic and Willow sts E 74 3xN 257 being lot 1 blk 501 Gibbons Ppty, QCD $1

Emma Daignault to Fred M Clark, SW 7th and Myrtle W 50xS 101 being lots 19 and 20 blk 6 5, Map of Market st lots, $700

Mabel F Landers to Felix Marcuse and J A Remmel E Lafayette st 112 6 N Railroad av N 37 6xE 108 blk 33, lds adjct to Encinal $10

Adeline L Halsey extr Est Marie L Crummey to Emma F Kriner W Pearl st 200 N from N line lds now of fmly of Clark and Carpentier W 112 4xN 40 being ptn Hays and Carpentier tract, $600

Dora E Crockard to William M De-Wolf Lots and 6 blk E, Corrected Map Nicol tract $10

Charles P and Amelia Pett to M Mossford SE 14th st 125 W Bassett st W 25xS 12? being lot 6 Map of Phillips Resub blk 773 Levy tract, subj to mtge, $10

John O Reis to Fridrich H Steinmetz Lots 42 and 43 blk F Amended Map Christiania tract QCD $10

Samuel Galbraith to Dora Galbraith SW Orange st 140 SE Orchard av SW 62 10 NW 140 NE 61 65 SE 140 to beg being lot 73 Marlon tract Gift

George W and Mrs G W Walker to C N Palmer Lot 49 Kingsland tract, QCD $1

William J Field Jr admr Estate Mary J Condon to Karl Clundt All int lot 7 blk 8 Fitchburg Hd lots Grant

Susan J and Thomas Houlihan to Marius Poncet 100 98 acres beg at Station No 34 of Lds of Ex-Mission San Jose at common corner to tract hereby described and Sub E of lands of estate of Joshua Wauhab th NE 1 ch to stake No 35 th NE 1 50 chs to stake marked No 36 th NE 4 50 chs to stake marked 37 th SE 3 chs to stake marked 38 th following sub D, SE 6 61 chs th following line of sub F, SW 23 32 chs NW 17 30 chs to beg being sub C of lands of Est Joshua Wauhab, $10

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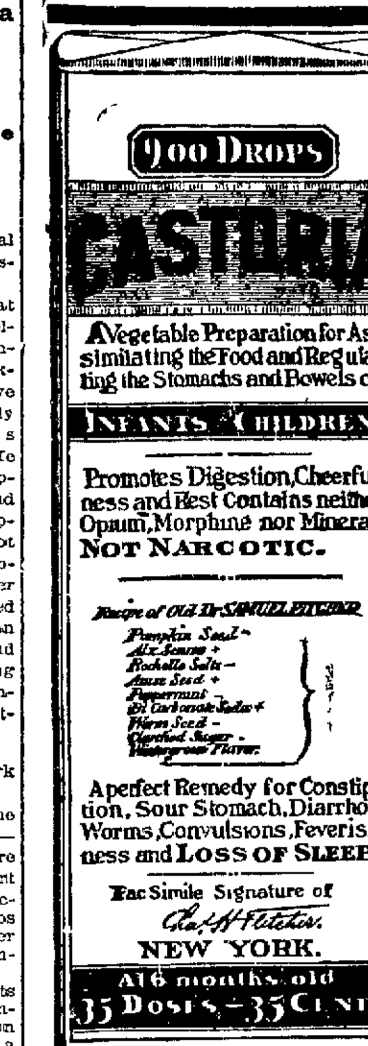

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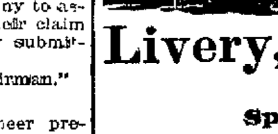

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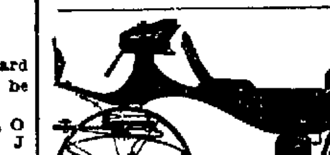

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Notice—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment (No. 2) levied on the 27th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows

Names.	No Certificate.	No. Shares.	Amount Dls Cts
S P Holden........	73	500	50 00
S P Holden........	74	500	50 00
S P. Holden........	75	500	50 00
S P Holden........	84	500	50 00
S. P Holden........	98	500	50 00
W. B. Ewer........	7	5	50
S P Holden........	8	5	50
G. W. Swan........	95	50	5 00
G. W. Swan........	49	1000	100 00
G W Swan........	3	450	45 00

And in accordance with law, and an order from the Board of Directors, made on the 27th day of January, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, 209 Sansome street, San Francisco, California, on Saturday, the 20th day of March, 1897, at the hour of twelve o clock M of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. JOHN BRUCKMAN, Secretary.

Office, 209 Sansome St, San Francisco, California.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Company. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California

Notice—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment (No 6), levied on the 1st day of February, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

Name	No. of Certificate.	No of Shares.	Am't
F C Havens............	30	5	40 00
F. C Havens............	32	10	80 00
Nat Stein, trustee.......	31	450	3600 00
W H Chickering, trustee	29	750	6000 00

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 1st day of February, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Company, No. 1003½ Broadway, room 25, Oakland, California, on Saturday the 27th day of March, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock A M of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. T. F SCANLON, Secretary.

Office, 1003½ Broadway, room 25, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF FILING—Of Report of Commissioners in the matter of the opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon, from 24th street to the northern boundary of the City of Oakland

City Clerk's Office, Oakland, Cal, March 12th 1897

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon from 24th street to the northern boundary of the City of Oakland, in accordance with Ordinance No 1?69, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council on or before the 17th day of April, 1897

(Seal) J. W. TOMPKINS
Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland

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DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Livermore Water and Power Company Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California Location of works, Livermore, Alameda County, California.

NOTICE.

There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment No. 1, levied upon the 13th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows.

Names	No. Certificate.	Shares.	Amount
James Stanley	6	200	$2 000 00
James Stanley	1	666⅔	6,666 6?

And in accordance with law and on order of the Board of Directors made on the 13th day of January 1897, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, No 462 Eighth street, in the City of Oakland, Alameda County, California on Monday, the first day of March, 1897, at the hour of one o clock P M of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising all expenses of sale

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

Office, 462 Eighth St, Oakland, Cal.

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Company, held at the office of the company, at No 462 Eighth street, Oakland, held this 25th day of February, A D 1897, the above sale was postponed until Thursday, March 11th, 1897, at the same hour and same place

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

FURTHER POSTPONEMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Company held at the office of the company at 462 Eighth st, this 11th day of March, A D 1897, the above sale was postponed until Wednesday March 24, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

FURTHER POSTPONEMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Co, held at the office of the Company at 462 Eighth St this 23rd day of March A D 1897 the above sale was postponed until Monday, March 29, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

PROPOSALS for filling marsh land owned by the City of Oakland

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland Cal, Mch 19, 1897

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall on Wednesday the 31st day of March 1897, from 10 to 11 o clock A M, for filling marsh land owned by the City of Oakland said filling to be done under the direction of the City Engineer The material used must be sand dredged from the shores of San Francisco Bay, and must be free from all foreign material. Said filling shall be commenced within ten days and be completed within one hundred and twenty days after entering into contract for said filling The said filling is to be done on that portion of the West Oakland marsh bought from Koenig and Walsh by the City of Oakland also a portion of the streets fronting said party Bidders will state in proposals the total amount for which they will complete the above described work

All work done and material furnished to be subject to the approval of the City Engineer and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank made payable to the order of J W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within 10 days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $1 000 00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids

By order of the Board of Public Works
N. W. SPAULDING JR, Secretary.

Resolution No 22,778 Ordering the Work—Resolved That the public interest and convenience require the work herein described and the Council of the City of Oakland hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the plans and specifications therefor filed by the City Engineer with the City Clerk on the first day of March, A D 1897, to-wit

That East Twelfth street in said city between the sewer in 1st avenue and 11th avenue, be sewered on each side with an 8 inch vitrified ironstone pipe sewer as follows From the sewer in 1st avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 4th avenue, from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 4th avenue to the sewer in 5th avenue, from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 5th avenue to the sewer in 6th avenue from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 7th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 9th avenue, from the sewer in 9th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 10th avenue, from the sewer in 10th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 11th avenue and that 20 Y branches of 8 inch opening and 180 Y branches of 6 inch opening be constructed thereon also brick manhole be constructed thereon at each of the following points At the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 2nd avenue, at the northeastern and southwestern sides of 4th the crossing of 3rd avenue at the northeastern side of the crossing of 5th avenue, at the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 6th avenue at the northeastern side of the crossing of 8 avenue at the northeastern side of the crossing of 9th avenue at the northeastern side of the crossing of 10th avenue Also that a lamphole be constructed thereon on each side of East 12th street at each of the following points At 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 4th avenue at 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 5th avenue, at 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 7th avenue at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 9th avenue at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 10th avenue, at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 11th avenue Also that gratings with conduit pipe 8 inches diameter be constructed thereon on each side of East 12th street at each of the following points At 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 1st avenue, at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 2nd avenue at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 4th avenue, at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 5th avenue, at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 6th avenue at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 8th avenue, at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 8th avenue at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 9th avenue, at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 10th avenue also that a grating with 8 inch conduit pipe be constructed on each side of East 12th street at points 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 7th avenue and connected with the sewer in 7th avenue Also that 2 brick catch basins with 10 inch conduit pipe be constructed at points 2 feet southwesterly from the northeastern line of East 12th street in each of the following street crossings to-wit 4th avenue, 5th avenue 6th avenue, 7th avenue, 8th avenue, 9th avenue and 10th avenue

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to publish this Resolution for two days and notice of said work inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the work and referring to the plans and specifications posted or on file also for two days both in the Oakland Tribune a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, hereby designated for that purpose Said notice shall require a certified check or a bond, either as prescribed by law, and for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal He is also directed to post said notice with plans and specifications conspicuously for five days on or near the Council Chamber door

Adopted Mar 9th, 1897
Oakland, Mar 23rd, 1897.
J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1896.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1896.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Tax Collector of the County of Alameda State of California is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1896 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours after the first Monday in October, 1896, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, IN THE YEAR 1896,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said County, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1897, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda County for the year 1896 will be payable to the undersigned Tax Collector of said Alameda County, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1897, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1897,

At 6 o clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1896, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1896,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law

Dated at Oakland, California, this 10th day of October, 1896.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15 1897 a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897 so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County, Oakland, California

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars

Sec. 846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person"

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County, Oakland, California.

PROBATE NOTICE

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary C. Dalziel deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary C. Dalziel deceased, and for the issuance to Carrie Fross Snyder of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, at 10 o clock A M of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda has been set for the hearing of said petition, and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, March 11th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.
NYE & KINSELL, Att'ys for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

TRIBUTES TO ALMA MATER.

Citizens, Students, Graduates, Professors Unite in Honoring the University of California on the Return of Charter Day.

GREAT ENTHUSIASM PREVAILS

Twenty-Nine Mile Stones in the Life of the Great Institution.

J. A. ELSTON FOR THE STUDENTS

Gems of Eloquence by W. R. Davis and Professor Joe Le Conte.

The weather god was kind to the University students today and gave them perfect weather for the celebration of the twenty-ninth anniversary of the founding of an institution which was destined to be the seat of learning in the far West. Not a breath of wind disturbed the soft blandness of the air and it was with many lingering glances at the blue, blue bay and the green hills, that the crowd slowly assembled in Harmon Gymnasium.

There was an attempt at decorating the large cold walls of the gymnasium. Enthusiasm was supposed to cast a weery glamour over the bareness and coldness.

The rostrum where the brainy men of the faculty and the speakers sat, had a hedge of palms and dark blue flowers, out of which the stars and stripes and University colors rose triumphantly.

At a quarter of eleven, the students orchestra, under the leadership of C. C. Davis, tuned their instruments and "La Fiesta March" drowned the murmur of voices.

President Kellog, in the robe of a scholar, entered, accompanied by J. Arthur Elston, who as president of the Associated Students, would assist in the ceremonies. Professor Joseph Le Conte, frail, nervous and restless, sat on the right of President Kellogg. Hon. J. West Martin, Colonel George Edwards, Hon. W. R. Davis, Regent Halliday, Professor Madley, Professor Merrill and Professor Brown.

Occupying prominent places in the audience were Professor and Mrs. Howison, Professor and Mrs. Ardly, Dr. Stratton, Mrs. Le Conte, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Merrill, Professor and Mrs. Rowell, R. D. Yelland, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pleasants, Professor Lange, Dr. Babcock, Professor and Mrs. Jones.

The morning exercises were formal, scholarly, classic and thoroughly appropriate. The speeches were applauded and the University musicians were also commended for their excellent playing.

They opened with an overture after which President Kellogg delivered a short address in assuming the chair.

THE STUDENT BODY.

Eloquent Presentation of the Subject by Arthur Elston.

J. Arthur Elston, president of the Associated Students, was then introduced, amidst much applause from his fellow students.

"To speak of the student body," he said, "is to use a trite, worn-out phrase, yet this term designates the true nature of our community of students, which is in truth analogous to the complex life of the human body. It has its physical, intellectual, and spiritual aspects, and, as with the human body, so with the student body,—not in all particulars, but yet a developing, a ripening into a more complex organization into more mature ways of life.

"Having once adopted an analogy of this sort, there is danger of pressing it too far. Here the University of California, off to itself, and not at the edge of a large center of population, there is no question that its student community would have more marks of a distinct reasoning organism. In treating it, conditioned by such surroundings, the analogy I have prepared would carry farther.

A SHORT LIFE.

"To begin with, the most external and manifest aspect, any one can discern wherein the student body may be said to have a physical life, the term being intended to include social traits of a primal nature. We can tell whether the life is ardent, vigorous, electric,—whether it forms a sound foundation for the intellectual and moral activities to build upon; or whether it is dull, stupid, unresponsive, on the one hand, or feverish and sporadically active on the other. Even a student community situated like ours can be placed approximately at least under one or the other of these extremes of physical tone. The University of California has had comparatively such a short life that the student body nurtured by it has not much more than attained its youth. Consequently, it could not be otherwise than natural that it should, at times, manifest the friskiness and freakiness of youth; that it should occupy itself more with external and material concerns, than with the ideal interests of life. It cannot be denied, too, that its life has been so rapid as to render co-ordination and unity of constituent elements incomplete, and that as a result, its movements should be oft-times sluggish and at variance. As a body, it has hardly reached the stage of self-conscious reflection, of thoughtful inquiry into the ideal significance of its existence.

PLACE OF THE STUDENT BODY.

"It will not be well, however, for one to examine too closely into the place of our student body in this scale of development. It is a question whether one who is a part of its blood and bone is able to estimate with any degree of correctness. To one whose judgment is thus circumscribed, it appears that the intellectual activities of this body are just coming into freer play, are working into fuller recognition. The marked increase of interest taken in debating the establishment of new student periodicals, the higher intellectual standards in general which we are working by—all these tell which way the current is setting. It will not do, however, to crystalize at this stage. It will not do for this movement to grow into an undue exaltation of the intellectual, as it might tend to do if with the growth of the physical and intellectual bases, there is not suffered to grow that principle which regulates the other two—which adjusts their conflicting claims and renders them subservient to a student life quick with fellow-feeling, with altruistic impulse—a student life of high moral purpose, conscious of its meaning and knowing its responsibilities. When this outgoing, self-renouncing principle is alive, the strivings of the other two are worth while; when it is choked out, their labors are unprofitable and without real significance.

CO-ORDINATE ACTIVITY.

"As this co-ordinating activity is the flower of the evolution of the student body, there can not be found more than its tiniest buddings in the life we are considering. It would be unreasonable for us to demand more at this early stage. There have been attempts to force out the flower by artificial means, which, for a while, would seem to promise success; but, in the end, the student organism has invariably reverted to its normal ways of developing. The flower is the ultima thule and is bound to come at the proper time. It may not come to have just the structure wished for and expected by Philistine reformers; its hue may be different from the traditional orthodox; it may not spread its petals to one luminary alone, choosing rather to be warmed and gladdened by the whole system of lights that crowd the sky—but if it come by its natural course, it cannot help but be sound, wholesome and good.

ASSORT THE CHARMS.

"The grand object of those in the student body who have the spiritual insight to view as a whole the life they participate in should be to assert the claims of this highest principle, to exemplify it to their fellows. It is upon them to help speed the time when earnestness, seriousness, dignity will be ruling qualities in the student body; not at all, however, to the exclusion of a hearty, spontaneous physical and intellectual life.

A BLOW AT BOURDON.

"It is upon these same persons to build up a bar of student opinion that shall effectually shame and discredit immoral excesses or dishonorable dealings among the members of the student body, to discourage such senseless extravagances as the Bourdon celebration has come to be. Tumultuous clashings of this kind may have some little influence in promoting fellow feeling; the athletic and debating contests in a greater degree make for the same end; what is wanted above all, these, however, is the firm, true fellowship springing out of a common recognition of the ideal meaning of our community life, out of a sincere and intelligent love for our university.

GREAT NAMES ON THE ROLL.

"What better time to realize the imperative quality of these ideals than on this Charter Day—a day commanding a fuller and more far-reaching retrospect and prospect than any that have gone before it. With the events which have filled our minds so much of late still vivid, would it not make for a clearer appreciation of their immense meaning for the future for us to turn our eyes to the past, to find out the early history of our university, to know what great names were identified with her early struggles, what labors and what sacrifices were endured for her preservation, what a wonderful expansion she has gone through in the last decade! Until these things are known, there cannot be that intelligent and sympathetic concern for her welfare which should be the controlling thought and the highest principle of unity in the higher life of the student body."

FOR THE GRADUATES.

The Older Students Were Well Represented by W. R. Davis.

W. R. Davis of this city was then received with cheers and spoke as follows on behalf of the alumni, of whom he is the president:

"One of the sons of the University, I take today the point of view of an observer. This does not mean fading of the old devotion, but acquiring a newer and broader one. Views from the interior are apt to be academic or partial; from the exterior you get the better perspective and unity. For the time being let us all turn observers—Regents, faculty, students and alumni alike. From the observer's point of view we see the University of California in three aspects—First, in time; second, in its scope; third, in the State.

STAGES OF PROGRESS.

"In time it has six stages. The conception of Durant, Kellogg, and the faithful band of forerunners who from the beginning foresaw and proclaimed in the wilderness that civilization is greater than gain. The next stage was reached in 1868 when the State founded the University, in law by the act of March 23, 1868. That is the day we celebrate. The third stage was the embodying of the University in the constitution in 1879 as a part of the organization and life of the State. The will of the sovereign was there fixed. The fourth stage was the passage of the perpetual tax act of 1889—the turning of special acts of appropriation to the fixed purpose of perpetual support. The fifth, now upon us, is the building era. Private generosity and fixed governmental policy have already determined that the visible home of the University of California shall rise and endure upon this perfect landscape of the great invisible University which is to dwell here without end. And the sixth stage in time is the passage of the act of 1897 by which the policy of permanent support is enlarged into adequate as well as permanent support. These six stages denote embodiment and demonstrate growth. First, it was a conception, some thought it a dream; then it was a statute; then it was granite in the constitution; then continuous support; then munificent private endowment and upbuilding, and now adequate perpetual governmental maintenance. In all this the University must not be viewed as disconnected. That view loses its greatest significance. Down these stages of time the University is being evolved, developed, maintained as part of a system of free governmental schools, the crown and consummation of that free system. The people along the verge of the continent, who do that, grow. We do not need to look to antiquity for perspective; here is sufficient perspective disclosing the growth of a great idea into a great system of our own people.

TEACHES THE WORLD A LESSON.

"The taking of the young of the nation in their teens and God-speeding them into the world equipped citizens in their twenties, has never before been done in the course of the world. This thought, this system, this modern achievement in a republic is nothing less than teaching antiquity, mediaeval empires and the race itself how to uplift men. Thus, in its own time, the University of California has six stages, and, looking at time, this modern achievement in the American Republic not only teaches this generation and others yet unborn, but also throws its light backward, revealing that the stream of time itself flows upward, not downward, as it flows on. The books are full of terrestrial gravitation, but there is a celestial gravitation, too. That a stream ascends as it flows on is a picture, but it is true. The stream of time never bore man so high.

PROGRESS INCREASES RESPONSIBILITY.

"Young men and young women, how this comparative view of time exalts your opportunities and your duties. No man who has that mettle in him, which the celestial gravitation can take hold of, can see this day, this site and this University, visible and invisible, without resolving anew, I will not live and die in apathy, I'll be a man. If you have ever felt lack of unity in this body of 1500 favored sons and daughters of opportunity, be that unity, be one tomorrow. If it is not in the books it is in the case. If you have heard no chorus of a thousand voices here, begin tomorrow to sing the praises of your alma mater and the themes of your student life. If that is not in the books, it is in the case.

"If you have missed the filial spirit here that true sons ought to have, if it has seemed a multitude of mothers as of a multitude of men, arise tomorrow, every one a true son of our one mother, the University of California. If this is not in the books it is in the case.

"Intelligence is not intellect. One is valley, the other mountain side. There is no station so respectable as the respectability of learning—no brotherhood so honorable, no sonship so exalted. When I think how toilers work and owners throughout this commonwealth pay to maintain this system and this its consummation and crown, whether their sons and daughters drink of this spring or not, and think of yesterday's unanimity of this verge people in your behalf and mine and ours after us, I feel blood coursing afresh as young as yours, my lads, for the one mother of us all and for her exalted triumphs and uplifting destiny. Is there any sonship in us, any brotherhood between us, any manhood worthy of us, less than this? To hold less than this is to hold less than fills a man.

SCOPE OF THE UNIVERSITY.

"I have said thus much, viewing the University in time. Let us now view it in its scope. Every person here knows that the word 'university' means the many turned into one—many departments and colleges in one comprehensive institution; but mark you, this does not mean all turned into one. The King of Spain granted this ground upon which we stand to one of his grantees, Peralta. The boundary was by creeks, the saw-teeth top of the Coast Range and the bay of San Francisco. Other grants were likewise made to other favored grantees with boundaries in like general terms. Still others were made in large tracts measured by leagues and defined by groves and forests.

"When the loosely specified grants were made there might be, and there was, an overplus, and this overplus was granted to still another grantee. This is the Sobrante,—the overplus. Every university, however great, has its sobrante. The departments and colleges cover certain defined limits of human learning and research corresponding to the King's grants. But between these departments and outside of all of them is the overplus and sobrante of human life, human research and human experience.

"Let not one deceive himself with the belief that his mastery or dominion over his grant, his specialty, his department, is the ownership of the earth.

"There is the other grant, and the others over yonder, the other departments with spaces between him and them and between all of them, while around and beyond them all extends this sobrante of human life and experience.

DANGER OF CONSERVATISM.

"Sometimes it almost seems that the specialist in his specialty is set like an automaton in his groove, moving up and down the landscape of existence, but unable to get out of his groove and travel crosswise. Many a man has narrowed his life and shriveled his personality to insignificance by a ceaseless travel in his slot. This may sometimes be a necessity, but it is always to him a misfortune. His specialty may be widened a trifle by him, but his personality is pinched in the process. Besides, mastery of details is not mastery of unities. Here is a great painting, so much genius transferred to canvas. It has so many square feet and so many square inches upon its surface. Now comes the man of details and with his knife cuts it into strips and checks an inch square and examines each square inch with his special eye, his microscope, and when he has done he boasts that he has examined the painting so minutely that he knows more about it than any person who viewed it with the natural eye only. This is the folly of self-centered wisdom. To him the genius of unity in art, the genius of art itself, is an unknown sobrante—an overplus without his own specialty, apart from and above his groove. If not a small teacher he is a small influence among men. A great specialist may be a little personality.

MAN IS LIKE A VINE.

"There is a vineyard, one man goes into it and stoops down to examine this vine critically and then that and another. He dissects its foliage, tests its sap, examines its roots and goes away informed in the minutes detail as to the soil, the phylloxera and the failure of the crop; but he hasn't seen the vineyard yet. He is a master of details, but unity is master of him. Another man overlooks the vineyard as one vineyard. He sees the picture, the unity, the body of this vernal map of industry planted in the landscape. This is sobrante again, the overplus, in nature and in life, lost to the mere master of details.

"I do not underestimate the necessities nor the utilities nor that exactitude is indispensable in all material and intellectual pursuits. This goes without saying, boys know it. But boys of either youthful or adult years do not know of the sobrantes, the spaces between departments and the overplus of human understanding in the unities and in the relations of the departments of human learning to one another and of that true and upper overplus which is in life but not in classified learning. Our classified departmental learning runs endwise, forward.

"Each department veers off as it advances. The student when he begins is a unit of purpose, an imperfect personality, but still, one stream, large or small, his own individuality. Presently he is subdivided into a half-dozen channels, mathematics one, chemistry another, mechanics another; and so on, until his singleness has become multifarious.

"He has gained detail perhaps there and there, but he may have lost unity of purpose and of self with its power and influence among men for which there is no substitute, a power sobrante in terms of all the departments. Some personalities become so divided and subdivided by the pursuit of various departmental undertakings in college that the stream of personal unity and force becomes spray, and they leave college more helpless than they entered it.

HOW NOT TO FAIL.

"These swell the ranks of college failures. Somehow we must gather these subdivisions' ditches together, prevent this spray and turn the student out the one stream that he was before departmental subdivision, but with accelerated and deepened current. He must be taught here to travel crosswise, to think over and across departments, to unders and relations as well as directions. It is late, often too late, to leave this lesson to be taught to him in a fiercer work outside. He has before him a world of men and men's affairs, their struggles, prejudices, selfishness, intrigues, ambitions, power, theirs whose hands are against his hands—it is not specialists he is to meet, nor helping hands, but men as they are, combatants, and the world as it is, warfare. To college life this is sobrante. He will not get even a hearing in that outer world unless he first earns it. People there do not have to come into a room, and under some penalty, listen, tolerate and concur, however dilute, ironing or tomish the deliverance may be. He must know relations, other men's standpoints, prejudices and affiliations, parties, classes, laws, art, literature, history, and that history that is not yet written, the today of his own generation. It will be too late for him when it becomes what is called history. This is more sobrante outside the departments.

"It is not all understanding that requires exact premises.

VALUE OF JUDGMENT.

"There is a certainty, notwithstanding elasticity. Mount Shasta is heavier than the dome of the Capitol at Sacramento. The quantitative specialist asks, Do you know the weight of Mount Shasta? No. Do you know the weight of the dome? No. Then how do you know that Shasta is heavier than the dome? Yet we know it as well as if we knew the exact weight of the mountainous peak, and of its effigy. The understanding understands without stopping to get into the quantitative details. It is a question of unities and relations. Intelligence is not intellect, and reasoning from ascertained premises is not all of understanding. Love, hate and prejudice are facts as well as reason. Every understanding recognizes them, three great powers in the world, not one amenable to reason, not one a departmental subject—sobrante in life as real though unmeasured and unmeasurable as is measured granite. Take directness, forthrightness. The world has yet to see a college or university that internally illustrates directness of attack. The academic is graceful but it tiptoes. The world's gait is heel and toe. The world's forthrightness and broadsides are not academic. This power too is sobrante. Many an involved pile of academic serpentes is only one plain case of snake when you untangle him and straighten him out.

"You have already been asking yourselves what will you call this unclassified field?

THE X-RAY OF KNOWLEDGE.

"It does not matter. Call it as you do the unsolved ray, the X-ray. It is not unknown or non-existent because unsolved or unclassified. The sobrante, the overplus is there—it is in life's case, in human experience and must be brought by teachers of men more and more within that human knowledge which is learned without paying the price of so many lives of failure. What an educator he will be who shall master and teach to others more and more of the sobrante outlying the departments, the X-knowledge of human experience and life.

"Man has advanced and is advancing steadily upon nature and ascertaining what she is and how her laws operate. Philosophy has advanced and is advancing upon the mental constitution and the laws of its operation. These and similar advances have given rise to classified departments of human learning with which the colleges and university are familiar. But there is another how as yet undeveloped and unclassified, but not unteachable—the how a man shall pursue details, acquire learning and appropriate culture, without subdividing his personality into the weaknes of multifariousness and without pinching the man out of him to make a detail specialist, and how to get out of his rut and think crosswise to other subjects and departments, the how to give him scope of vision as well as intensity, the how to teach him unities, perspective and relations between businesses, human situations, himself and his fellows, the how to be forthright though a man of the schools, the how to reach others, to earn a hearing, to convince, persuade and move his fellows in his generation, the civilization in which he lives, the how to strengthen and perpetuate human force in human affairs.

DUTY OF THE UNIVERSITY.

"Work like this lies in the sobrante and it is the duty and mission of the University of California to perform its part in making insolved X-knowledge more and more a part of human research, learning and acquisition.

"The last view of the observer is that of the University in the State. What is the State? It does not consist of lands or property or products, nor of commerce by land or sea, nor of wealth. All these are necessary to the State but they do not constitute the State. They are but landscape, food or raiment—the site and the means of a commonwealth, not the commonwealth itself. Man is the State. He does not exist for it, but it for him. All schools, the University itself, are but an agency in the State. What the State and private munificence place here are not given as to an end but as to an instrumentality. What goes in as money is to come out as character in men and women. What goes in as aid to learning is to come out as strength to the commonwealth. The perpetuity of learning is assured in the world. The burning of an Alexandrian library does not now mean the extinguishment of learning. But the perpetuity of liberty, of the equality of man's rights and opportunities with his fellow man, the perpetuity of constitutional freedom here and of its erection and maintenance elsewhere are not assured.

KNOWLEDGE AND FREEDOM.

"The chiefest duty of the world is not learning for knowledge's sake, but knowledge for freedom's sake—that freedom which makes way and preserves opportunity for the humblest human being to pursue happiness and his own betterment and expansion without molestation of the crushing power of impotentates, of fanaticism, of majorities, of wealth or of any other human thing. It is in this liberty that learning has its being. And to this liberty all learning and all culture owe the allegiance of unshakeable fidelity and patriotic devotion. Angles and rock in character and citizenship the State wants, civilization wants, in return for founding, for establishment, for maintenance, for the gift of knowledge and culture to her sons. There is an understanding by detail which creeps inch by inch, but there is another understanding which travels by wing. It sees in perspective, it deals with unities; it grasps relations; it deepens and accelerates the current of personality; it conquers to set free; it pushes conquest to uplift and uplifts to push on the outposts of man's great freedom. Let us make no mistake; it is the State, the commonwealth, that is the end, not the schools of this or any land; it is man that is the end, not science nor philosophy; it is the uplift of the race that is the end, not human knowledge.

Music was then rendered.

IDEAL UNIVERSITY.

A Very Instructive Address by Professor Joseph Le Conte.

Professor Joseph Le Conte spoke in behalf of the faculties. As the aged professor, so dear to every student's heart, rose to speak a storm of applause burst from the audience.

For his subject the Professor had chosen "The True Ideal of a Great University."

"I assume," he said, "that the aim and end of all education is preparation for worthy life, and of university education, for the noblest life.

"It must first lift the recipient to a high intellectual plane, and then prepare him for efficient activity in that plane. It is well to keep these two functions distinct in the mind. In a word, it is its function to prepare for leadership in the world of thought and in the world of action. In the broadest sense, there are three sides of our intellectual nature which must be equally cultivated, each supplementary to the other two and altogether constituting a complete and symmetrical culture, and each preparing for some group of pursuits in active life. These are the science course, the art course, and the philosophy course.

THE COURSES.

"The science course begins with mathematics and passes upward to the science of sociology, to which all others are subsidiary.

"The art course commences with languages and passes upwards to sociology.

"The philosophy course commences with logic and passes upward and connects with the all-embracing subject of sociology.

"All three converge as they rise upwards, meeting on the lofty plane of sociology and together from the beautiful triune arch of perfect culture.

"Each of these has its own characteristic function in an organized scheme. Each is perfect in itself, but all are more perfect in their union.

"The characteristic function of the science course is a cultivation of a love of truth for its own sake, as the very aliment on which the mind lives and grows, a reverential worship of truth as the image of God in the human reason; of the philosophy course, to give intellectual activity and enthusiasm, by virtue of the nobleness of its subjects and, at the same time, skill, dexterity, and kindness by virtue of the subtleness of the phenomena with which it deals; of the language-art course, to sensible embodiment of our inner states in beautiful forms of speech, writing, painting, sculpture, music; in a word, of incarnating the human spirit.

COURSES UPHELD.

"These three are of co-ordinate value. The language-art course is accused by some of being of no practical use. Language is as characteristic of man as is reason. Our best thoughts, feelings, imaginings, die heart-stifled unless poured fourth in appropriate expression.

"The distinctive function of the university is, primarily, preparation for active life—not a lifting to a high intellectual plane, but, being thus lifted, to prepare for efficient activity on that plane. The university is the beautiful cluster of the fruit-bearing branches of the educational tree. In our American institutions the university proper is embodied in the post-graduate courses.

"From these three groups the professions of law, medicine and theology are evolved. These professions have been greatly expanded, the scientific so as to include besides the medical, scientific profession, as engineering, practical chemistry, scientific agriculture, the language-art, besides the legal profession, journalism, letters and politics; the philosophy, besides the clerical professions, also law, letters, and politics."

The speaker then touched on the necessity of the continuation of the educational course beyond the college.

SPECIAL CULTURE.

"General culture," he said, "carried into the university, fits for the highest profession, that of a scholar and thinker. But the increase of knowledge in every department has made special culture necessary. The three traditional professions—of law, theology, and medicine—no longer stand alone. Journalism and politics must be added and should be prepared for in the university. They require as high and as varied culture. General culture is no longer enough. In addition to general culture and that must remain the trunk and nourishing mother of all, a special course should be added. Many will object that this savours of trade. It is true, but united, the special and general culture would act and react to the benefit of both.

"Special courses must be preceded by a liberal general course. Hence, the former must be a post-graduate course. Hence, there should be in the upper class a commencing specialization for the completive separation in the graduate courses.

POPULAR ERRORS.

"There are two opposite errors popularly conceived in regard to the university. First, that it gives naught but general culture; second, that it is a collection of practical schools. The first is traditional, the second recent, and a direct outgrowth of the short-sighted materialism of the age. Fortunately, it has not yet been embodied in any respectable institution.

"I have said that the true idea is not yet realized in any country."

The speaker then showed that the English system falls short of the ideal, being imbedded in the structure of English society, and almost incapable of radical reform. The English university is a finishing school for young noblemen and does not prepare for active life.

GERMAN SYSTEM.

The German system is the ideal of the English. Yet it is hampered by aristocratic and medieval traditions, but still remarkable for enthusiasm for learning and intellectual activity. Its aim is the preparation of the scholar.

"The American university has two distinctive features—a close union of the college and university; (2) the full recognition of the professional schools. It recognizes that the university is to prepare for all the higher pursuits of life. The college part is modelled from the English, the university part from the German system.

"The trouble in American universities is that the rush for practical life is so urgent that there is tendency to crowd back professional courses into under-graduate courses.

"But these defects, I believe, are defects rather of idea than of development, and will disappear with growth. It is my belief that the American university is farther on the straight and narrow road towards perfection than any other.

OBJECTIONS ANSWERED.

"I now wish to answer some popular objections to the university. I have no doubt that the transformation of the university is due primarily to the birth and rapid growth of modern science, not yet completed, and which, many fear, may go too far. The scientific method has invaded every department. It has caused a vague dread in conservative and religious minds of the final result on education and society. The danger-cry found utterance in Professor Woodrow Wilson's address at the recent sesqui-centennial celebration of Princeton. I fully sympathize with Professor Wilson's views, but I see clearly that the cure of the disease, if it be a disease, must come from science itself.

PROGRESS OF SCIENCE.

"The progress of science has been so rapid, there has been no time for digestion, and assimilation, and incorporation into one essential human nature. Science as yet is a storehouse, not yet arranged according to the highest law. It must disappear as an external possession and reappear as character and spiritual power.

"Society reformers say, 'Let the dead past bury their dead.' They would destroy all the old in art, in religion, in social organization.

"My answer: Vanity, boastfulness, extravagant hopes that science will change all is not entertained by real scientific minds, but by pseude-scientific minds. It is the effect of scientific facts on unscientific minds.

TRANSITIONAL STATE.

"It is often said that we are in a transitional state between the old and the new, and that transitional stages are dangerous. Doubtless to weak minds knowledge is dangerous. But the only cure is more and more knowledge. With the increase of science we always will be in a transitional state. The only cure is a rational spirit, which recognizes and accepts eternal change by evolution as law.

NEW LAW

"The introduction of a new law, as the law of gravitation or evolution, necessitates a complete readjustment of our mental furniture, dogmas and creeds and customs harden like shells about us and must, time and again, be thrown off. But will this always go on? Must not the time come when rational philosophy shall prevail? A rational spirit is the only cure, and this spirit is attained only by complete apprehension of the law of evolution.

"Professor Wilson said, 'Science breaks with the past.' Evolution cannot break with the past. Its very definition is growth, a growth of the present. The foundation of the principle of evolution is laid on the laws of nature which are the laws of God.

EVOLUTION AND NATIONALITY.

"In conclusion I will say that nothing tends to a rational spirit as the idea of evolution. It breaks down all hard and fast lines and institutes only gradations. It forbids sudden creations, teaches eternal growth. It teaches the spirit of tolerance both in religion and in politics.

"When belief and principle of action are vivified by reason and become a common heritage of humanity then shall we all rise to a higher plane of religious thought. Science has come, not to destroy, but to verify, to use the best, to direct our faith and aspirations, and to purify and ennoble both art and religion."

IN THE FORUM.

Debate to Be Held by Young Men in Leading High Schools.

The debating contest between the Senior Debating Society of the Oakland High School and the Berkeley High School has been set for the 14th or 15th of May. The preliminaries will be held Thursday and Friday this week. Out of the twelve entries for these, three will be selected from each preliminary debate, and in a final debate after vacation the three will be chosen who are to contest. The following boys have entered their names: Ralph Fisher, Fred Roseberry, Will Stewart, Jewett Earle, Charles Anderson, Ben Reed, Thomas Kilkenny, Lawrence Greene, Walter Frickstad, W. B. Londe, Winfield Dorn and Clarence Creed.

The Oakland High School gymnasium has been selected for the field of battle. The subject is: "Resolved, That a system of popular legislation through the initiative and referendum should be adopted in California."

BUT FEW OPPONENTS.

Only Forty-Five Names to the Petition Opposing Annexation.

The many friends of the annexation movement, were rather surprised at the protest filed with the City Council last evening. The opponents of annexation have been claiming that when the petition for annexation was presented to the Council, that they would meet it with a counter petition signed by over 600 voters in the district proposed to be annexed.

The protest was filed last evening, but instead of 600 signers being on it, there was about 45 names. This is said to be just about the size of the opposition and the friends of the movement for a greater Oakland feel very much encouraged.

Many of those who at first were opposed to annexation, now that they have looked into the matter and find that no street work can be done, are working hard for annexation. A special and important meeting of the committee in charge will be held on Wednesday evening at the office of the secretary, 463 Ninth street, to hear the reports from canvasers and to consider the protest.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

AN ELECTION WAGER.

Jim Kennedy of Company F was wheeled up Broadway last night in a barrow by young Morine. It was the paying of a bet on the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill.

Baby buggies, parasol tops, $7.50 at Meese's 1009-1011 Washington street.

Water Front Notes.

The schooner Norfolk which has been discharging lumber for the Eagle Box Factory, Kendall & Company and the Washington Lumber Company left yesterday for San Francisco.

The Bark John Potter is discharging coal for Taylor & Company.

The schooner Anne Jackson is discharging lumber for the Pacific Lumber Company.

Millions of bottles Yorkshire Relish sold annually.

CASTORIA.

The facsimile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

ARE WOMEN REALLY WEAK

And If So, Is There Any Excuse for Remaining So?

"I feel sad every time I see a woman." The above remark was made to the writer by one of the oldest and most prominent physicians in New York.

"Is it possible that you are a woman hater, doctor?"

"Not at all; but I have seen so much suffering, so many women who are miserable, that I cannot help feeling sorry for them all. How many ladies do you know that are perfectly well and healthy? How many enjoy life as they should? Is this not enough to make one feel sorrowful?"

"There must be a cause for all this, doctor."

"There is. When a woman is weak, she requires strength. All her functions must be put in a healthy condition. Nothing does this so easily and surely as pure spirits taken in moderation, either before meals or between meals. I know scores of ladies that are kept in perfect health and brilliancy by the judicious use of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. Many of these ladies are wives of professional men, and most of them are temperance women. They realize that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey furnishes the best and only positive help, and they are intelligent enough to profit by such knowledge. The best temperance people of today are the ones who use pure spirits in moderation, and find what strength, vigor, color and brightness are the results."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Myrtle Agard is the guest of Mrs. C. J. Giddings of Visalia.

Miss Mae Johnson is visiting relatives at Fresno.

Mrs. James Thompson is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh Sinclair of North Yakima, Washington.

Mrs. J. L. Whitmore is the guest of Mrs. Dr. King of Chico.

Mrs. Robert Beck is the guest of Mrs. John W. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blackman gave a small dinner party last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Henshaw are the guests of Mrs. Sidney Cawston of Portland.

Erastus Bartlett of 1018 Sixth avenue has returned from San Diego, where he has been visiting his daughter for the past four months.

This evening at Loring Hall a social will be given which will conclude with a dance. Professor Richard Young, a San Francisco violinist, the Ideal Banjo Club and Caro True Boardman's class of children dancers will appear on the programme.

Mrs. E. L. Hutchinson, the sister of H. M. Sanborn, left several days ago for the Southern part of the State, where she intends traveling for the benefit of her health. She will be gone about a month, and during that time will visit Catalina Island, Redondo Beach, Riverside, and take an ascent up Mt. Lowe.

Miss Martha Snow and her mother of Alameda leave for New York Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Waller and Mr. and Mrs. John Costigan and daughter of San Francisco will spend the summer in East Oakland.

Miss Costigan of San Francisco has been visiting Miss Alice Downing.

Misses Alice and Mabel Manning of San Francisco are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Davis of Fruitvale.

The Ruskin Club of Berkeley is planning a reception to be given to the Rev. Dr. William R. Alger, the new Unitarian pastor.

Mrs. M. Foltz and two children of Alameda left for Boston Sunday to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Blanche Morris has returned to St. Helena after a visit with her folks in Berkeley.

Harry Rosecter of Alameda has returned from a trip to the Hawaiian Islands, New York and the East.

William E. Gardner of Temescal and Miss Rose Marolf of Peralta were married last Tuesday at the home of the pastor of the Park Congregational Church, Rev. E. Lyman Hood officiating.

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

Spring millinery opening March 18th, 19th and 20th. Miss Williams, 1162 Broadway.

TENNIS REVIVAL.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, Mar. 23.—The schedule of the National Lawn Tennis Association has been issued, and from its length it is apparent that the interest in the game is as great and general as at any time in the past. State championships appear to be on the increase, and the inter-State scholastic movement continues to grow in importance. The assignment of a new championship, to be known as the Metropolitan championship, to the West Side Tennis Club of New York City, will do much to encourage the game in that city.

The Eastern doubles have been awarded to Longwood.

A very important change this year is the alteration of the rules for handicapping, so that the one-sixth of fifteen system will be used. This system is approved by the English players, and, as the United States players are now governed by the same rules, the ranking of English and American players may be compared much better than when the sixth system was used in England and the quarter system in America.

YOUR LUNCH IN SAN FRANCISCO

The Montgomery Street Coffee and Lunch House, 428 Montgomery street, H. H. Hjul, proprietor, makes a specialty of fresh eggs, pure milk and cream, best coffee, tea and chocolate. Separate department for ladies.

Ten Days' Sale.

See prices at H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

For Rent—

Dishes, chairs and tables. H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

Bay City Flour—absolutely pure.

Special Sale

Household goods at H. Schellhaas, 466 Eleventh street.

Bay City Flour makes the best bread.

The Hammam departments for ladies and gentlemen at the Piedmont Baths are the most elaborate and luxuriously fitted up of any this side of Chicago. Take Piedmont cars.

Above all others, Sperry Family Flour.

Rugs 10c Up to $4.50

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COHEN'S PLACE IS IN ASHES.

A Palatial Residence Devoured by Flames During the Early Hours of the Morning.

IT WAS WORTH $500,000.

Pictures by Famous Masters Are Now Worthless Debris.

SEVERAL FIREMEN INJURED

Only About a Third of the Loss Is Covered by Insurance.

Half a million dollars went up in smoke in Alameda this morning, when the magnificent residence of the late A. A. Cohen was burnt to the ground, destroying with it one of the finest private galleries of paintings on the coast, as well as thousands of dollars worth of costly furniture.

ORIGIN.

How the fire started is one of those mysteries which will never be explained. The house was not occupied at the time, though it was in charge of a watchman named Braley.

At 4:30 o'clock, this morning, Braley made the rounds of all the rooms. He saw no indications of fire before he retired.

Shortly before 6 o'clock, the coachman, Otto Jenkins, saw smoke issuing from the roof above the gallery. It apparently came from the frame work of the huge skylight, but an investigation developed the fact that the whole upper portion of the garret was ablaze.

ALARM TURNED IN.

An alarm was at once sounded and after some delay the two chemical engines and the one steamer came to the scene.

The only fire hydrant is located several blocks away and little could be done to check the flames.

FIGHTING THE FLAMES.

One stream was set to work on the roof, but the heat was so intense that the firemen were forced back. The chemical engines, soon exhausted their usefulness and it was seen that the structure was lost unless more water could be obtained.

TAPPING THE MAIN.

A force of men went to work before 7 o'clock to tap the main pipe. This was done and by the insertion of a fire-plug another line of hose was made available.

The fire was then raging intensely over the central portion of the building and it was with the greatest difficulty that any headway could be made by the hose men.

STRIKE THE CUPOLA.

The flames jumped from the roof to the cupola and this was soon destroyed. It fell with a crash through the sky-light to the gallery, scattering fire in all directions.

From that time on the building was doomed. Desperate efforts were made to save a portion of it, but to no avail. Systematically the fire burned out one room after another in the upper stories.

MASS OF FLAME.

Before 8 o'clock the whole northern wing was a seething mass of flame, rapidly being consumed. Then efforts were directed toward saving the southern half if possible. For an hour the men battled heroically against the great odds. Nothing could be done, however, to stop the ravage and by 11 o'clock not a vestige of the palatial home was left except the five tall chimneys and a portion of the frame work of the music-room.

WRECK AND RUIN.

A mass of smouldering ruins and an intricate mesh of twisted pipes, marked the spot, where a few hours before had stood one of the handsomest residences in Alameda County.

AN EXPLOSION.

About 7 o'clock a severe explosion took place in the front part, over the porch. This is supposed to have been caused by gas pipes bursting. The shock blew out the front windows and wrecked a portion of the structure. Fortunately no one was injured.

HELP RECEIVED.

As soon as the fire was discovered, workmen and neighbors broke into the building and did good work in saving some of the costly fittings and pictures.

The gallery, which was located on the second floor, containing over 100 famous paintings together with a large number of others of less note, was filled with smoke and it was with difficulty that anything could be taken out.

PICTURES OF VALUE.

Some of the pictures were torn from the walls and carried out, but the majority of them were burnt up. Little else on the second floor was saved.

The first floor was easier of access, for at the time the flames had not made their way downward, beyond the stairs-casings. Here all the work was soon confined.

BRONZES AND STATUARY.

The bronzes, statuary and bric-a-brac were heaped together in the hurry to get them in a place of safety, while massive mirrors were smashed to pieces by over-zealous workers.

The furniture and fittings saved, including billiard tables, pianos, part of the library and some of the paintings, will not amount to more than $5,000 in value.

THE FAMILY.

The house was unoccupied at the time. The sons and daughters have grown up and all but two have left Alameda. Mrs. Cohen spent the night with her son, Edgar, who lives on Versailles avenue and she knew nothing of the conflagration until the building was wrapped in flames.

A SEVERE SHOCK.

On arriving at the scene she took charge of the rescuing party and directed operations until her sons came. The shock was a severe one to her and it is feared the excitement will result in illness.

Since the home has been without occupants, a careful watch has been maintained, both night and day, to prevent just such an occurrence. Occasionally the furnace was heated to prevent dampness in the rooms, especially in the second story, where a large amount of the furniture was stored. It may be that a crack in the chimney, is responsible for the catastrope.

MRS. COHEN'S STORY.

In speaking of the matter Mrs. Cohen could give no explanation of the origin of the blaze.

"All I know," she said, "is that the house is now a complete ruin and most of the valuable paintings and things are destroyed. There is nothing like the insurance on the place, that it is worth, for some of those pictures we could not have covered with insurance for a quarter of their value. I know the loss to me will be over $300,000, with the insurance."

Edgar Cohen estimated the loss at fully $500,000. He believed the inventory would show even more.

THE DESTROYED BUILDING.

The house was located in the center of a big tract of land, which had been beautifully improved. It was a three-story structure built entirely of wood and had stood on the present site for over twenty-five years.

Those who frequently visited the Cohens, declare it to have been the handsomest residence west of the Rocky Mountains.

The late A. A. Cohen, was formerly the attorney for the Central Pacific Railroad Company. He originated and owned the broad guage line in Oakland and the Alameda line afterwards, selling them to the Southern Pacific.

This was in the early 70's. The house took a year in building, but artists and cabinet makers were kept steadily at work for two years more, decorating the interior.

Every wall was beautifully frescoed and painted, while all the wood work was of the finest and most costly obtainable.

The building contained between forty and fifty rooms, including a music hall, gallery, library, billard and extensive drawing-rooms.

The main hall ran directly through from west to east. Pillars of solid onyx supported bronzes and statuary, while the delicately inlaid floor was a wonderful work of art.

Exclusive of the decorating, the house originally cost $125,000. To this sum many thousand more have been added during late years.

A $50,000 CANVAS.

In the gallery, besides the many other works, was a framed canvas which cost $50,000 in Paris. This was totally destroyed. Paintings from the brush of Rousseau, Carnot, Bonheur and Milne Ramsey, suffered a similar fate.

Ramsey's famous death-bed scene, was saved, uninjured. This was finished in Paris in '78 and cost a big sum. The original "Marguerite," another very expensive canvas, was so badly burned, that it is almost obliterated.

FOUND IN ART CENTERS.

These works, together with the statuary, Mr. Cohen had been collecting for many years prior to his death. They were found in the art centers of Europe principally and in themselves represented a fortune.

AL CUMMINGS TALKS.

Al Cummings, who handled all the insurance, arrived early on the scene.

"The place is a complete loss," he said when questioned. "The little furniture saved, will only amount to a few thousand dollars. The house was one of the handsomest on the coast, while the art gallery could not be beaten for a private collection. I have no idea how much the pictures cost, but the price must have aggregated a very big sum.

"I have the inventory of the goods, but the insurance will only partially cover the loss."

The property was all left to the widow, when her husband died. Mrs. Cohen did not know this afternoon, whether she would re-build or not, though she stated that if she did, it would be impossible to replace what was lost.

FIREMEN INJURED.

A number of firemen were more or less seriously injured in trying to extinguish the flames. Fred Caracof, had his arm badly burned by a falling timber and Gus Wagner nearly lost two fingers while breaking a window. Charles Frost was also badly burnt.

Some time ago an effort was made to open up some streets through the Cohen property, so that the eastern end of Alameda could be improved. This would have insured additional water mains, but the family was not inclined to see the work done at the time. As a consequence only one hydrant was available for use and this proved entirely inadequate to furnish the water needed to check the conflagration.

The total amount of insurance figures up $155,000, divided among the following companies:

Commercial Union, $9,000.
Western of Toronto, $7,500.
American of New Jersey, $2,500.
Fire Association, $7,500.
Caledonian, $4,500.
Scottish Union and National, $10,000.
Lancastershire, $5,000.
American of New York, $7,500.
Providence of Washington, $2,500.
Hartford, $4,500.
Insurance Company of North America, $5,000.
Alliance of London, $5,000.
Manchester, $4,500.
Phoenix of London, $7,500.
Imperial, $4,000.
Union of London, $5,000.
St. Paul, $2,500.
Liverpool, London and Globe, $2,500.
National of Hartford, $5,500.
Sun of London, $2,500.
Palatine, $2,500.
Trans-Atlantic, $5,000.
Williamsburg City, $2,500.
Home and Phoenix, $17,500.
Northwestern National, $2,500.
Westchester, $3,000.
New Zealand, $5,000.
Franklin, $2,500.
North British and Merchantile, $5,000.

CIVIL SERVICE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Senate concerned itself today with the civil service debate, arising on the resolution offered by Allen (Populist of Nebraska) to investigate the removals in South Omaha, Nebraska.

Allen, Wilson of Washington, and Ballinger of New Hampshire, denounced the civil service law vigorously.

Hawley of Connecticut and Hoar of Massachusetts, supported it.

The Senate adopted a resolution but added an amendment directing the Civil Service Committee to examine into the general action of the civil service law and whether it shall be "continued," amended or repealed.

KATE KENNEDY.

Chief of Police Lloyd has received a letter from Mrs. J. M. Kennedy of Pacific Grove, Cal., asking for information concerning Kate Kennedy who was picked up while in a drunken stupor Mrs. J. M. Kennedy says she had a sister named Kate, who was last heard of in Buffalo, New York, and the picture of Kate Kennedy in one of the San Francisco dailies was not unlike her sister. Kate Kennedy, when seen by a Tribune reporter, denied that she had a sister in Pacific Grove and said she had lived in Oakland for thirty years.

HUNTER LACKS FOUR VOTES

He Cannot Be Elected Senator From Kentucky on Joint Ballot.

Rumor of a Combination to Put Governor Bradley in the Place.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Mar. 23. — Today separate ballots were taken for the United States Senator to succeed Blackburn.

All the morning rumors were rife of the bolting of six Republican members who would not support Congressman Hunter and of a combination having been formed by a few Republicans with Democrats to elect Governor Bradley United States Senator, thus causing a vacancy in the Governor's office and making an opening for a Democrat.

Hunter announced at 10 o'clock that he would certainly win on the first ballot.

At 12 o'clock the two houses balloted with the following results:

Senate — Blackburn (free silver Democrat) 14, Hunter (Republican) 13, Boyle (Republican) 3, Davis (sound money Democrat) 6. Total 36.

House—Blackburn 31, Hunter 53, Boyle 3, Davis 5, McCreary 4, Buckner 1, Stone 1.

Necessary to a choice, 70. The result shows that Hunter cannot win in the joint session tomorrow.

The Stock Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Uneasiness over the effect of the Supreme Court decision on the Trans-Missouri Traffic Association case resulted in a marked heaviness of grangers' and other railroad shares at the opening of the stock exchange.

Grangers yielded an average of ⅝ per cent. The market sagged steadily.

A High School Meeting.

There will be a mother's meeting this afternoon at 3 P. M., at the High School, where mothers and teachers will discuss the best methods of developing the best there is in a pupil. Superintendent McClymonds, Professor McChesney and others will speak.

Won the Handicap.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, March 23.—J. C. Sullivan's Winkfield's Pride won the Lincolnshire handicap today.

A CHEATED GALLOWS.

The Barrego Gang in New Mexico Reprieved by the President.

CAME IN THE NICK OF TIME.

Four Murderers Were on the Way to the Waiting Gibbet.

TEN DAYS' LEASE OF LIFE.

His Excellency Wants to Look More Carefully Into the Case.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SANTA FE, N. M., Mar. 23.—Preparations for the hanging of Francisco Borrego, Antonio Borrego, Lauriano Alarid and Patricio Valencia were complete this morning.

A troop of cavalry and a company of infantry were ordered to guard the prisoners from the Penitentiary to the jail and to guard the jail where the gallows is erected.

The execution was to have been private, only twenty-four persons being present. As the prisoners started from the Penitentiary, about a mile from town, Governor Thornton received a dispatch from the Attorney General stating that the President had granted a reprieve of ten days to look more fully into the case, the press of business having prevented the full consideration that the gravity of the case demanded.

Governor Thornton immediately dispatched a messenger to Sheriff Kinsell, and the prisoners were taken to the County Jail under escort, the Warden of the Penitentiary refusing to receive the prisoners again.

The message from Washington was as follows:

"To Hon. W. T. Thornton, Governor of New Mexico—The President reprieves the defendants in the Borrego case for ten days to have the question of jurisdiction settled. He requests you to do likewise.

"This reprieve is made necessary only by the press of business, which has prevented that consideration which the President deems necessary in view of its gravity. Answer immediately.

(Signed) "JOSEPH McKENNA,
"Attorney General."

The Governor at once issued a reprieve, making the day of execution Friday, April 2d. This makes the fourth time the execution of the prisoners in this celebrated case has been delayed, and there seems to be some ground for the belief that the sentence of the law will never be carried out.

Frank Borrego, the principal character of the tragedy, says that he dreamed last night that a reprieve would reach them just before the execution.

LEVEE NOT BROKEN.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MEMPHIS, Mar. 23.—Authentic information comes at 10 o'clock today that the reporter break in the levee at Australia, Miss., was an error. The Telegram says that the levee can be held intact for several days. The river here shows a decline of .02 of an inch in twenty-four hours, which, taken with today's bright sunshine, makes the outlook encouraging. The relief boats have ceased running, but there are 3,000 homeless people on the Chickasak Bluffs, for whom aid is asked.

POWER OF TRUSTS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Turple of Indiana, made a speech in the Senate today in support of his joint resolution for an amendment to the Constitution providing for the election of Senators by a direct vote of the people. He spoke of the usurpation of power by the trusts and the influence they exerted over Legislatures.

NOMINATIONS MADE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The President has nominated Bernard Bettman to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Ohio and Chester H. Brush of Connecticut to be Recorder-General of the Land Office.

Chicago Grain.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Wheat, March, 72½; May, 73½; corn, March, 25⅝; May, 23⅝; oats, March, 16¾; May, 17¼; pork, March, $8.65; May, $8.75; lard, March, $4.12½; May, $4.20 @ $4.22½; ribs, March and May, $4.65; rye, 33; barley, 22½ @ 33; flax, 78¼; timothy, $2.75.

Arrived.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Arrived: the Columbia from Genoa.

Schilling's Best Japan is the cheapest of teas, if you happen to like it—not everyone likes Japan.

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TARIFF AGAIN.

A Lively Debate in the House at the Capital.

THE CAMPAIGN IS RECALLED.

Newlands Gives Expression to His Views on the Subject.

CARNEGIE STRIKE CALLED UP.

Dockery Has Something to Say Against the Bill in Question.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—There were less than fifty members on the floor when the House entered on the second day of the tariff debate at 10 o'clock. As the day advanced, the members poured in and the galleries became crowded.

Gibson, Republican, of Tennessee, was the first speaker. He delivered a general argument in favor of protection.

Dockery (Dem.) of Missouri, who followed, said that it was not a surprise to him that the discussion thus far had been tame and uninteresting. "The truth is," said he, "the Populists of this country want more money and less taxes." (Democratic applause.)

"This bill does not represent the issue of the late campaign. The people would prefer to see $113,000,000 more money put in circulation than to see that amount absorbed by the Treasury."

Dockery said that it did not lie in the mouths of the Republicans to criticise the bond issues of the last administration.

"Cleveland was criticised on this side of the House," said he, "while you endorsed his policy in the last Congress. Your Committee on Ways and Means refused to give to the House the opportunity to vote on the Senate resolution prohibiting the bond issues because your leaders had been notified by fifty Republicans from the West that they would be compelled to vote for it."

Dockery ridiculed the idea of the present tariff law was a monster which had destroyed our industries. If it had done so, why, he asked, had the Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee lifted the metal and cotton schedules almost bodily from this monstrous law? He denied there was an era of prosperity for labor during the existence of the McKinley law and instanced the Carnegie strike.

"That catastrophe," interrupted Dalzell, "was the result of a contest between organized labor and the opponents of organized labor. The McKinley law had nothing to do with it."

"Yes, and the protected employer hired the Pinkerton detectives to shoot down organized labor," returned Dockery. "A distinguished Republican, then a member of this House told me at the time that it was the worst disaster the Republican party had experienced in twenty years."

Dockery was especially sarcastic in his remarks on the absurdity of giving alleged protection to the agricultural products. Of $569,000,000 products exported by the United States last year $504,000,000 was agricultural products. In conclusion, he said the policy of protection had driven our flag from the high seas, impoverished the laboring men, multiplied the farm mortgages.

Newland, (Silverite) of Nevada, then took the floor as spokesman for his party, which numbers three members in the House.

Newlands discussed the tariff bill from the standpoint of the silver men who united with the Democrats and Populists during the last campaign in opposition to the Republicans.

This alliance, he said, still continued and was likely to amalgamate the combined forces into one strong party with silver as the superior dominant issue, all other questions being subordinate to it and the largest tolerance being exercised as to the difference of opinion on other questions which hitherto had divided the various elements constituting the silver forces. Much depended in future upon the tolerance, wisdom and conservatism of action of the allied parties and he proposed to address himself to the question of what line of party action would best promote the cause of bimetallism, which he regarded as the only radical cure of the present conditions.

Although, he continued, it is sometimes difficult to determine the exact issues settled by the campaign, there can be no question as to the tariff. The popular verdict of the election was in favor of protection. The Democratic party declared silver to be the dominant issue and nearly snatched victory from the most desperate conditions. The Republican victory would have been complete had not the Democratic party presented other unnecessary issues which handicapped Bryan's candidacy, furnished a pretext for misrepresentation and abuse and really divided the friends of silver. As it was, however, he said the people had declared in favor of protection and the Republican party should, in his judgment, act without obstructions and with expedition.

Newlands declared that both industrial and monetary legislation were necessary and that of the two, the latter was more necessary. Tariff legislation alone, he asserted, would not give relief. Producing as we do a surplus of wheat, cotton and other farm products, the price of the exportable surplus is fixed in Liverpool and the Liverpool price fixes also the domestic price. In the Liverpool markets, these products come in competition with the products of India, Russia, Argentina and other countries, none of which are upon a gold basis.

These countries are willing to accept the old silver price for their products. The old silver price means today half of the old gold price, so we have the price of our farm products cut in two by the competition of these countries. Restore the old gold price of silver, $1.29 per ounce, and we immediately restore the old gold prices of our farm products, and this means, he said, protection to American farms and plantations just as the tariff law means protection to the factory. We have, he continued, an industrial system in this country which makes it the object of attack from all other countries.

COURT NEWS

Collins at Last Sent to the Asylum for the Insane.

Other Items of Interest in the Several Departments of the Courts.

James A. Collins, an Alameda carpenter, was sent to Agnews this morning by Judge Ellsworth, upon the advice of Drs. H. J. Todd and E. T. Barber.

Collins has been treated for mental troubles before. This last time he began acting strangely about two weeks ago and grew gradually worse. Last evening he attempted violence on his wife because she answered a question addressed to him, and in other ways showed himself dangerous to be at large. He resided at 2217 San Antonio avenue, Alameda.

GETS THE CHILD BACK.

Judge Ogden decided yesterday that Mrs. Etta Werren was entitled to her 3 year old baby, and ordered its grand aunt to give its possession to the mother. It was also ordered that the father of the child should pay $250 to Chris Werren for providing for the little one for the past two years.

SALISBURY CASE.

A successful attempt has been made at last in serving a copy of the order to show cause on Monroe Salisbury. The veteran horseman was looked for for some time before his creditors were able to locate him.

COURT NOTES.

Wm. T. Barbe, a native of Holland, was made a citizen today by Judge Ellsworth.

The $50,000 damage suit brought by J. P. Norman and wife against the Alameda Railway was dropped from the calendar this morning because of the absence of Attorney Delmas, the plaintiff's counsel.

W. J. Schmidt has brought proceedings to foreclose a lien amounting to $1,106 against the property of the estate of A. J. Snyder.

The Bradford Investment Company, composed of Charles P., Edward J., George C. Waldne and Frank Bradford, today filed articles of incorporation. The object of the association is to conduct a general merchandise business, and the capital stock is named as $500,000.

Mary R. Barstow, executrix of the estate of Alfred Barstow, today filed her final account. It shows that she has received $6,252.62 and expended 3,274 in the course of the administration.

J. P. Sarsfield today filed a notice of motion for a new trial in the case brought against him by Susie Grant.

Sherman, Clay & Co. today filed their answer to the action brought by W. F. Goad and A. W. Foster, as trustees, against P. E. Bowles et al. The suit is over the land of A. T. Hatch. Sherman, Clay & Co., in their answer, claim a prior lien by a $47,732 mortgage held by them on the property.

Upon a stipulation Judge Ellsworth this morning signed an order for the taking of the testimony by commission of Frank J. Welms, an important witness in the divorce action brought by Millie Hudelson against B. F. Hudleson. Welms resides in Portland, Or.

MORE CHILDREN TO DIE.

The Result of the School Collapse in Georgia Yesterday.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 23.—Professor Walker was so badly injured by the cyclone yesterday that he is dying.

Four children cannot survive the day.

Later reports from Blakeley say that no deaths have resulted there.

THREE MILES LONG.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, March 23.—The last day of the celebration of the centennial of the birth of Emperor William I was marked by a monster procession three miles long, in which 40,000 persons took part. It was an immense success.

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A CRUEL SLAUGHTER

Details as to the Killing of the Armenians at Toka.

ONE HUNDRED SACRIFICED.

The Sultan Fears Nothing and Relies on the Aid of Russia.

CONCERT DOES NOT EXIST.

Tiding Over Present Trouble Does Not Annoy the Turk.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 23.—Authentic details of the outbreak on Sunday at Toka, in Asia Minor, where the Turks attacked the Armenians while the latter were in church, showed that one hundred Christians were massacred. The Armenians' houses were given over to pillage. The representations of the Ambassadors of the foreign powers regarding the condition under which Anatolia's labors have made little impression upon the Sultan, who, relying upon the support of Russia, is convinced that he has nothing to fear from the so-called concert of the Powers which is continually harped upon, although it is believed that little or no concert beyond desire in some quarters to postpone war really exists. Diplomats here are said to be once more turning their attention to the conduct of the Sultan. It is semi-officially intimated that they are again of the opinion that the system of friendly representations on the subject of Armenia which, hitherto have been followed, must be changed for the sterner methods of dealing with the evils complained of.

The Sultan, however, consoles himself with the belief that he will survive this new fit of righteous indignation as he has tided over others of a much more serious character.

F. P. BACON MUST BORROW

Denies That He Can Pay the Alimony Ordered by the Court.

Revenue Is Small and His Mother's Money is Called Upon.

Pierson & Mitchell, the attorneys for Frank P. Bacon in the divorce proceedings brought against him by his wife, today filed a notice that they should move the court to "reduce the amount ordered to be paid monthly by defendant to the plaintiff to such a sum as under the circumstances the defendant is financially able to pay."

In October last Bacon was ordered to pay $250 a month to his wife for the support of herself and their children. It is impossible for him now to comply with the order, he says. In support of the motion Bacon has filed an affidavit He claims that his entire fortune consists of a one-sixth interest in the Bacon Land & Loan Company, a corporation, with a capital stock of $5,000,000. Out of this he received for the three months ending February 28th but $576.14. For the seven months prior to February 28th his total income, he says, was about $1,045.

The money paid to his wife and for his own personal expenses, he declares, was borrowed from his mother, and now that source of income is shut off. The prospects of paying the interest on an $80,000 indebtedness and taxes make things look blue, and he believes his wife's expenses should be curtailed.

STAND TOGETHER.

Two Dutch Republics Agree to a Scheme for Safety.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PRETORIA, South Africa, March 23.—The drafts of the treaties between the Transvaal Republic and the Orange Free State has been concluded at Bloemfontein, the capitol of the latter Republic, and are published here. They give the Burghers of each State a franchise in either Republic and the two Republics agree to support one another in case of attack. The treaties must be ratified by the Volksraads of both Republics.

Tents of Sufferers.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Senate has passed the joint resolution offered by Berry of Arkansas for the purchase of a thousand tents for the Mississippi river flood sufferers.

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FIENDS IN THE NIGHT.

The Secret and Malignant Killing of Fowl in East Oakland.

DOVES EYES ARE GOUGED OUT

Ducks Punctured With Pins With Points Tipped With Poison.

THE LOSS OF MRS. DOLMAN.

She Says She Is the Victim of the Malevolence of Some Neighbor.

A case of monstrous cruelty to animals and the ceaseless persecution of a woman is causing comment in East Oakland.

About three months ago, a little French woman, Mrs. Dolman, rented a cottage at 67 East Twelfth street. Misfortune had overtaken the little woman and she had pluckily set out to earn her own living. She began to raise ducks and chickens and soon nearly every game purchaser in town knew her.

MALIGNANT CONDUCT.

Some of the neighbors soon picked a quarrel with Mrs. Dolman and then her troubles. Her birds slowly disappeared. Some were choked to death, others suffered torture before death came to relieve them from their agony.

The favorite mode of torture was to run a sharp darning needle through the eyes of the bird. Some of the ducks had their eyes gouged out. Then the torturers found a new way to kill and began piercing the bodies with a needle tipped with deadly acid. Day by day the list of the slain grew until 200 squabs, several ducks and numerous chickens were dead.

The cat then came in for her turn in suffering agony. The fur and skin on the lower part of her body was taken off with acid and the miserable thing was then left to drag herself away.

The torture her pets were undergoing nearly drove Mrs. Dolman crazy. She saw her means of sustenance being taken from her and she was unable to defend herself nor could she discover her persecutor.

THE FIEND.

"I have my suspicions of the person or persons who are doing these diabolical things," said she, "but I cannot prove my suspicions. I watch every night now and if I see any one moving around the grounds I shall shoot. I am alone in the world and I must protect myself and my property. I have gone to the police and they have done nothing for me.

"I have been living here for three or four months and during the past six weeks this persecution of me has been going. I have my suspicions, as I said, but I do not like to say much about them. I will say that a certain man was insulting to me and said that he would make this place too uncomfortable for me to stay."

Mrs. Dolman showed the reporter a small keg filled with dead squabs, some of them horribly mutilated. This keg the woman said, contained the birds killed during the past three days.

HOW HE WORKS.

It seems that the person comes when Mrs. Dolman is either away from home or in the middle of the night. The locks to the doors of the barn have been broken repeatedly by the fiend.

The Frenchwoman is said to be an industrious person and has given no offense to any one save those she mentions. The theory that she is insane with a penchant for torturing animals is not generally believed in by those who have met her. It looks as though she were the victim of malicious and cruel persecution.

HE PRAYED AT THE TOMB.

How Emperor William Did Honor to His Great Grand Sire.

Centennial of the Birth of the First William of Germany.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, March 22.—The ceremonies attending the celebration of the centenary of the birth of Emperor William I, the grandfather of the present Emperor, which began yesterday, and will end Tuesday, continued today, commencing with the early visit of the Emperor and Empress to the mausoleum of William I.

Their majesties, who received an ovation all along the route, spent a quarter of an hour in silent prayer at the tomb and returned to Berlin soon after 9 o'clock.

At 9 o'clock the troops decorated with the new memorial medals and a detachment of sailors took up the positions assigned them on Unter den Linden.

About 10:30 o'clock the Emperor, in the uniform of the Garde du Corps, arrived and was welcomed with enthusiastic hurrahs: "Hochs" and the waving of handkerchiefs.

His majesty halted before the late grandfather's palace and ordered the flags and standards stored therein, to be brought out.

The Emperor then rode at the head of the colors leading the troops to the festival square.

The monument was unveiled at 11:30 A. M.

The royal personages were beneath the magnificent tent, facing the monument.

They included the Empress and the ex-Empress of Frederick, the Kings of Saxony and Wurtemburg. The privileged spectators numbered about 3,000.

His Majesty occupied a position on horseback in front of the royal tent, facing the monument.

Drums and trumpets called to prayer.

A special trumpet corps sounded the hymn "Loebadenn Herrn."

Rev. Dr. Faber delivered a prayer, trumpets and drums following with a grand burst of music.

The Emperor then ordered the monument unveiled, the troops presented arms and there was a loud cheer.

The massed bands played the Prussian national anthem. A salute of 101 guns was fired from Lustmanten adjoining and all the church bells rang.

The ceremonies ended with a choral played by a special trumpet corps.

During the ceremony the colors and flags captured from the French during the war of 1870-71 were displayed. Both sides of the monument are surmounted by a circle of cannon ornamented with oak leaves, also captured from the French.

All troops taking part in the ceremony were under the personal command of the Emperor. The Grand Marshal, Count Von Eulenberg, has been decorated by the Emperor with the order of the Black Eagle.

COURT NEWS

Husband Responsible for Medical Attendance to a Wife.

DECISION BY JUDGE OGDEN.

Feature in the Estate of the Late Mrs. C. Schweiss.

ADMINISTRATORS IN POWER.

Facts of Interest in the Several Tribunals of Alameda County.

Is a husband liable for the medical, nursing and undertaking bills contracted in behalf of his wife? This was a nice little question of law that came up before Judge Ogden this morning. Last July, Mrs. Charlotte Schweiss died at Berkeley, leaving a husband about 30 years her junior.

She had accumulated a small fortune during her lifetime which amounted to $6,800.

A few years before her death, she took to herself a young husband.

This step aroused the bitter opposition of her nine brothers and sisters, who objected vigorously to the lady's action.

Today, the huband, A. D. Schweiss filed his first account of the expenses and receipts derived from the estate.

The expense account includes disbursements for medical attendance, nursing, and drugs during Mrs. Schweiss' last illness and also small accounts for flowers which brightened the sick-room. Even the undertaking bill went to swell the account.

The brothers and sisters made a protest and Judge Raymond was present in Court to uphold their objections.

When A. D. Schweiss was put on the witness stand and had sworn that his account was correct, Judge Raymond began to cross-examine him.

"Where did you find your deceased wife's bank-books?" queried the Judge.

"In her private box" answered the witness.

"What else did you find there?"

The youthful husband looked annoyed and finally stammered that he had also found a $20 gold piece. No accounting had been made of this money and the Judge wanted to know what had become of it.

Judge Raymond then entered an objection to the payment of the medical and undertaking bills on the grounds that the husband is liable for such debts. Judge Ogden sustained the objections and ordered Schweiss to appear next week with his accounts as administrator straightened out.

ADMINISTRATOR APPOINTED.

Mrs. Carrie Fross-Synder was today appointed administrator of the estate of her deceased mother, Mrs. Mary C. Dalziel, who died the early part of this month. Mrs. Dalziel left an estate valued at $10,000 and there are two heirs,—a daughter and son.

TO SELL PROPERTY.

Judge Ogden granted Mrs. P. H. McGrew the right to sell all property remaining in the estate of her deceased husband. The property is valued at several thousand dollars but claims against the estate amount to $13,000. McGrew was a well known resident of East Oakland.

BOREIN DIVORCE.

Mrs. Peter Borein, wife of the Ex-County Clerk and Recorder was today allowed $40 a month for her support during the pendancy of her divorce action.

From appearances the husband will not contest. He made no appearance in court this morning. The woman testified that her husband's fortune had disappeared. The home was mortgaged a short time ago, she said, and $1,900 of the money so obtained remained in the hands of her husband's uncle. Out of this her allowance will be paid.

MAY GO TO WHITTIER.

"Majah" Waters' daughter Sallie whose fourteen years of life have been spent in mischief will probably be sent to Whittier. The attention of Mrs. Sanford has been called to the young one and tomorrow Judge Ogden will officially inquire into the case.

CHARGES CROOKEDNESS.

Attorney O. G. Heaton, one of the creditors of the estate of John C. Lemos, the Haywards grocer, who has been adjudged insolvent, today filed an affidavit in which he charges that some dealings are in progress which would deprive the creditors of a share of the estate if carried out.

The objectionable claim is that of Mrs. Filomena Lemos of Haywards, who asserts that the insolvent is indebted to her in the sum of $500. Heaton has searched the Supervisorial records, and from them has ascertained that the woman is now drawing $8 a month from the county for her support.

"The claim is not worth one cent," said Heaton, "for she has declared once that she had nothing. Now I have looked the matter up in Haywards and found that the man once boarded with the woman, but furnished her all the groceries for herself, six children and several other boarders. If there is a balance it is the other way. The claim is spurious and is for the purpose of saving $500 for some one."

The matter was brought up in court today, and the attorney presented his argument. Judge Ellsworth decided that the affidavit came too late to prevent the election of an assignee, and Max Marcuse was appointed. Heaton intends to bring the matter up again when the time comes to pay the pro rata on the claims.

David Rutherford today brought suit against J. E. Andrews to foreclose a $1,400 mortgage given on property in the King tract, Fruitvale.

FIGHT IN MINIATURE.

McKinley's Aid Besought to Prohibit Views of the Late Fight.

THE APPEAL OF THE W. C. T. U.

Claim It Would Be Debasing to the Youth of the Country.

STATE LEGISLATION NEEDED.

Three Hundred Thousand Back Up the Prayer of the Union.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—The following appeal was forwarded today:

"To His Excellency, the President of the United States:—Honored Ruler. As the official representatives of 300,000 members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the United States, we earnestly entreat you to call upon Congress to prohibit in the District of Columbia and throughout the various Territories the reproduction by means of the kinetoscope or kindred instruments of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight or any like exhibition at any future time.

We believe that in making this request we are seeking the best welfare of the citizens, especially the youth of our land, who would be brutalized by such a lifelike representations of those degrading spectacles.

"We learn that preparations upon the largest scale are being made for the invading, not alone of our great cities, but of every village and hamlet with this spectacular performance.

"That bad as was influence of the fight upon the comparative few who witnessed it in person, it would be infinitely worse because so much more far-reaching if thus produced.

"We are making a like request of the chief officials and the Legislatures of the various States and have a strong hope that, in a majority of them the necessary legislation may result.

"We are glad to feel assured at the outset that your personal sympathy must be with us and that your official sanction will be given to this request so clearly in the interests of morality. Sincerely and respectfully yours,

"Frances E. Willard, president.

"Katherine Leente Stevenson, correspondent secretary, W. C. T. U."

SAVED FOR THE ROPE.

Blanther Will Live That He May Die as a Murderer.

The Dose of Poison Not Strong Enough to Kill Mrs. Langfeld's Murderer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Joseph E. Blanther, the murderer of Mrs. Philipina Langfeldt, has been resuscitated from his attempt at suicide on Saturday night in the jail at Meriden, Texas.

He will be brought back to California to be tried for his crime.

He had concealed morphine in the waist band of his trousers and had swallowed the fatal dose but, after thirty-six hours of work the physicians announced that he is now out of danger. Word to this effect was received today by telegraph from the Sheriff at Meriden by the local police.

The latter are now convinced that the prisoner is Blanther, whose weakness for women led to his capture.

He was traced through a woman to whom he had been married some years ago, and who has been living in Texas.

IMPENDING DOOM.

Fear That More Levees Have Broken and That Ruin Will Result.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 22.—Today the flood situation may be compared to the "calm before the storm," because the Mississippi registered a fall of 0.1 inch in twenty-four hours, which is taken to mean heavy breaks of the levees above, foretelling awful calamity to the country south of here.

The government gauge at 10 o'clock shows a depth of 37 feet.

Relief boats continue to ply between this point and the immediate overflowed districts, landing each trip several hundred homeless people.

MAHER AND SHARKEY.

They Will Struggle for the Mastery Some Time in May.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—A dispatch was received in Brooklyn today from Warren Lewis, president of the Greater New York Athletic Club announcing that a match had been arranged between Maher and Sharkey. It will probably be brought off in May in Brooklyn. It is said that a purse of $10,000 will be the stakes.

SAVED SOME PASSENGERS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEWPORT, Va., March 22.—It is reported that the steamship Yanariva has picked up sixteen of the survivors of the Ville St. Nazaire disaster. The Yanariva sailed March 11th for Glasgow. She will make the trip in about fifteen days.

WANT A NEW ERA.

The Debate on the Tariff in the House at Washington.

APPEARANCE OF THE SCENE.

The Greatest Interest Shown by All the Visitors Present.

DINGLEY PROMISES GOOD TIMES

Prospect of a Discussion That Will Shed a Great Deal of Light.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The tariff debate began in the House at 10 o'clock this morning.

Despite the early hour of assembling, there was a large attendance on the floor and the galleries showed evidence of the great interest in the proceedings.

Dingley and Bailey the opposing leaders were early in their places.

By the rule under which the House was to operate, the House immediately resolved itself into a committee of the whole and the speaker conferred upon Sherman, Republican of New York, the distinguished honor of presiding over the committee.

Those who expected the debate to begin immediately were disappointed. The leaders decided to have the bill read in full at the outset in order to disarm the criticism passed on previous bills that they were put through without even having been read in the House.

The spectators in the galleries and the members on the floor waited while the clerk droned through the 163 pages of the bill.

Dingley opened the debate. He said that the committee had endeavored to discard mere theories and had addressed themselves to the framing of a practical remedy for the ills of the country.

He said that by placing wool on the free list, the treasury had lost $21,000,000 revenue and farmers $30,000,000 per year. The new schedule would increase manufacturies, and the wool grower, and ultimately increase the revenue.

The sugar schedule would increase revenue and encourage the sugar production of this country.

Dingley estimated that the second year the bill would yield $100,000,000 increased revenue.

In conclusion he urged the need of prompt action.

Dingley was followed by General Wheeler of Alabama, who opened for the minority.

SPORTS IN A SMASH-UP.

George Siler and Others Badly Shaken in a Railroad Wreck.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GREEN RIVER, Wyo., March 22.—The East-bound Union Pacific passenger train, at 2:35 o'clock this morning, crashed into the rear end of a freight here, injuring three men.

George Siler, Louis Houseman, Jim Wakely and others, returning from the fight at Carson, were on the passenger train. All were shaken up, but none were injured.

ANTI-TRUST LAW.

The Supreme Court Declares That It Is Applicable to the Traffic Pool.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Supreme Court has decided the case of the United States versus the Trans-Missouri Freight Association against the railroads.

The opinion was rendered by Justice Peckham. It reverses the decision of the court below and holds that the anti-trust law of 1890 can be applicable to railroad transportation and that the traffic agreement pool is illegal.

APPOINTMENTS MADE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate: Joseph L. Bristow of Kansas to be Fourth Assistant Postmaster General. Bing of Hermann, Oregon, to be Commissioner-General of the Land office. J. D. Elliot, District Attorney, at South Dakota. Ernest G. Timme of Wisconsin, Auditor for the State and other departments. Commodore Joseph N. Miller, to be Rear Admiral.

FIRE IN DAKOTA.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HURON, S. D., March 22.—Property worth $70,000 was destroyed by fire this morning including the Alliance Building occupied by the Government Land office, which saved most of its records.

The United States Weather Bureau lost all its instruments and most of its records for the past seventeen years.

SUICIDED AT A DEPOT.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PLACERVILLE, March 22.—John E. Wilson, lately of Folsom, committed suicide this morning at the railroad depot in this city by shooting himself through the heart.

WEYLER'S MOVE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, March 22.—Although he has not yet completely recovered his health, Captain-General Weyler embarked at 12 o'clock last night on the Spanish cruiser Legasie, bound for Cardenas, in the province of Matanzas.

BORNE TO THE GRAVE.

Impressive Funeral of the Late Mrs. Lucy Rogers.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucy Rogers, who died of old age Saturday, was held in Y. M. C. A. Hall at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. James Small conducted the services.

A large number of sorrowing friends gathered to pay their last respects to the memory of the dead.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The music was furnished by the choir of the First Christian Church. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

Mrs. Rogers was 83 years old and had been a church member for 71 years. She leaves four children, Mrs. A. Snyder, Mrs. L. M. Levy, Mrs. A. Pearson and Sol D. Rogers, besides a number of grand and great-grand children. Mrs. Rogers was highly esteemed in this community, where she had lived for so many years, and she was loved by all who knew her.

TREATY TALK.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Senate refused on a yea and nay vote to adopt a motion made by Senator Morgan to amend the amendment of the Foreign Relations Committee to the arbitration treaty.

Morgan's amendment provided for the striking out of the words "jurists of repute" from the amendment, inserted in lieu of the provision constituting the judges of the Supreme Court members of the arbitration tribunal.

In Port.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GLASGOW, March 22.—Arrived: Pomoraine, New York.

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on FRIDAY, MARCH 26TH, 1897, pursuant to an order of the Honorable Superior Court, Alameda County, John Stewart of Stewart's Law and Collection Office, No. 452 Eighth St., Oakland, as assignee of Arlett Bros., insolvent debtors, and at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at No. 918 Broadway, Oakland, (Marcuse's Warehouse), I shall sell at public auction, in parcels, to the highest and best bidders, for cash, the following goods: One cash register, 2 scales, 1 wagon, 1 harness, 1 hand truck, small lot vinegar and canned goods, extract and paper bags and wrapping and holder, 1 hatchet, 1 sign marker and 1 sack barley. Reference is made to the records of said case, No. 12,983, Dept. 2, said Superior Court.

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CAMMEYER—In this city, March 22, 1897, Jacob F. Cammeyer, brother of Mrs. Henry N. Dalton, a native of New York City, aged 60 years, 11 months and 29 days. (New York and Elizabeth papers please copy.)

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW (Wednesday), at 3 o'clock P. M., at the residence of Henry N. Dalton, 1454 Eighth street. Please omit flowers. Interment private.

TUCKER—In this city, March 21, 1897, S. G. Tucker, M. D., a native of Maine, aged 67 years.

JUNGK—In this city, March 22, 1897, Conrad Jungk, a native of Hesse-Darmstadt, Germany, aged 48 years, 11 months and 29 days.

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WHERE THE HERO SLEEPS.

Preparing to Turn Grant's Tomb Over to New York.

In the Procession a Feature Will Be Made of School Cadets.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 23.—At a meeting of the Military Committee of the Grant Monument ceremonies, a letter was read from Mrs. U. S. Grant, giving thanks for the honor conferred upon the memory of her husband and stating that while her family was scattered at the present time, some members being in California and others in Europe, she would endeavor to have them all present on April 27th, the day of the monument ceremonies.

Secretary of War Alger wrote that it was his intention to have as much of a force as possible to take part in the parade.

Applications for places in the parade were received from the Corcoran Cadets of Washington, D. C., the Cadet Corps of Girard College of Philadelphia and from the Cadet Corps of the Orchard Lake Academy of Michigan. It is the intention of the military committee to make a prominent feature of military and public and private schools which have uniformed corps.

The Twenty-second Regiment, National Guard of New York, has announced that it will make its first appearance in the new State fatigue uniform.

The troops of the Third and Fourth Brigades, with headquarters at Albany and Buffalo respectively, have offered their services and Adjutant-General Tillinghast and Colonel William Cary Sander have asked the Finance Committee of the Senate for an appropriation of $50,000 to cover the expenses of the two brigades. At a special meeting of the Board of Education, it was resolved, on motion of Commissioner Taft to accede to Mayor Strong's request and ask the principals of all the higher grade grammar schools and the school ship St. Marys, to select children from their schools to take part in the ceremonies. It was resolved to ask the managers of the parade to provide special music from the children. Commissioner Taft said that a representation of from sixteen to twenty from each grammar school of the higher grade would make altogether a quota of about 2,000 children and he believed that the marching of those children would form one of the prettiest sights of the whole parade.

SAVING A LEVEE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ROSEDALE, Miss., March 23.—The river has risen along the extreme end of the lower levee district at Australia, Mississippi, twenty miles north of here and the situation is critical in the extreme. A large stream of water is coming in under the levee and has increased to such an alarming extent that Major Sterling, the chief engineer, was sent for by wire.

Later another call was made for 20,000 sacks and 700 shovels, all the hands that could wield a shovel to come quickly or the line would give way. A special train has left Greenville with the material and is picking up all the hands between Beulah, Mississippi and Round Lake, the latter point being opposite the threatened point. Should this levee give way it would flood many of the finest plantations in the State and a stubborn fight is being made to hold it.

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$2,500—Five room modern cottage, near business corner.
$3,500—Five room cottage and stable, large lot, 11th ave.
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THE FRESHMEN VICTORS.

The Rush at Berkeley Gives Prestige to the Class of 1900.

Anticipation of Pleasure Over the Production of the Play.

BERKELEY, Mar. 23.—Two big ciphers appeared on the high hill back of the engineering building this morning as evidence of the victory of the Freshmen over the Sophomores, and repeated cannon shots, yells and bugle blasts throughout the night told the Berkeley people that something was going on. About ninety Freshmen assembled at the old conservatory at 10 o'clock last night and marched to the highest peak back of the grounds. Bonfires were built, songs sung, speeches made, and about 3 o'clock this morning coffee and sandwiches were served.

Meanwhile the class number had been marked in white on the hill and defiances were sounded by bugle and cannon.

The Sophomores assembled in the Dining Association, with one Freshman, whom they had caught, and passed the night in a similar manner. About 4:30 A. M. they made a detour and attacked the Freshmen from above, but in twenty-five minutes the fifty-five Sophomores were bound. They were set free soon afterwards.

During the scuffle Morgan and Bond, both '99, were slightly injured. Morgan's trouble was from heart disease.

One disagreeable feature of the rush, and one heartily condemned by all classes, was the entrance in the rush on the Sophomore side, of several Oakland High School boys, among them Steele and Emery. The Sophomores, as a class, are not held to blame for this, and the boys very nearly decided to give the outsiders such treatment as would set an example in the future. They were spared this time, however, but a repetition of the act will certainly involve severe punishment.

A baseball game between the Alerts and the University will be played at 3:30 this afternoon. The University will be represented by Foster, Sykes, Wheeler, Kuster, McClaren, Kaarsburg, Hoag, Proctor and Cheesborough. These men, with Krug and Hennessey, have been photographed for the "Blue and Gold."

The play this evening promises to be a great success. It is pronounced to be Prof. Syle's best effort, the cast is carefully selected and the audience will be the largest which has ever witnessed one of the farces.

Dr. Bailey, who has been lecturing in St. Mark's Church on Christianity, is heading a movement for the combination of all sects in local church work. This is regarded as especially important in West Berkeley. The unity would be based on four fundamental principles, including the two sacraments of baptism and communion, the Apostles' and Nicene Creeds, and the Scriptures. The work is being supported by Prof. Bailey, Prof. Rockwood, Dr. Babcock, Instructor Price and D. S. Woods.

A general meeting of the University Science Association will be held on April 6th, when Dr. J. C. Merriam will deliver a lecture on "First Mammals and Their Probable Ancestors."

Dr. W. M. Wheeler of the Chicago University gave a lecture under the auspices of the Zoological Society, in South Hall, yesterday. His subject was: "The Dicyemids of the California Coast."

Lewis T. Merwin, '96, the great University mile walker, track captain and member of the Eastern team, has received an appointment as principal in the Napa High School.

Hugh McDonald of Berkeley met Fred Walker yesterday in Nelson's blacksmith shop and accused him of insulting his sister. Walker resented the charge, blows were exchanged and both were arrested. They will be tried by jury.

WOOD IN THE CRIME.

He Is to Be Tried Also for the Murder of Pearl Bryan.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NORFOLK, Va., March 23.—The second chapter in the murder of Pearl Bryan, it is said, will be the prosecution of William Wood who was charged by Jackson with contriving the deed for which Jackson and Walling were hanged.

Wood has not been at his home, near Greencastle, Indiana, for several months and to the Bryan family and the police of Cincinnati, both of whom are after him, his whereabouts have been a secret.

Wood was in Norfolk, March 17th. He came here from Philadelphia where February 1st, he appeared at the League Island Navy Yard and enlisted as a landsman aboard the United States receiving ship Richmond. The term of service for which he enlisted is three years. On March 15th he was transferred to the receiving ship Franklin at Norfolk Navy Yard. Four days later he was transferred by order of the Navy Department to the gunboat Castine for passage to the South Atlantic Station.

Upon the arrival of the Castine at Montevideo, Wood is to be transferred to the U. S. S. Yantic, where he will fill a clerical position. The Castine left Newport News March 17th on her long southward voyage and Wood is by this time well beyond the reach of the civil law unless the Navy Department is appealed to for his return to the United States.

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RUGER TO RETIRE.

Colonel Shafter of the First Holds Rank of Senior Colonel.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Major General Thomas H. Ruger, commanding the Department of the East with headquarters at New York, will be retired April 2nd and the President will have a large number of important army appointments at his disposal ranging from Major-General down to Second Lieutenant. All the Brigadier Generals are candidates for promotion, with the chances, it is said, slightly in favor of the selection of General Brooks, stationed at St. Paul. The eligible list for the Brigadiership includes two colonels of infantry, ten colonels of cavalry and five colonels of artillery.

Colonel W. R. Shafter of the First Infantry, stationed in California, is the senior colonel.

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MRS. MILLER'S CASE.

Mrs. Mary Miller, who with her two sons, was arrested for robbing the St. Lawrence House a couple of months ago, has been giving Mrs. Lydia Prescott considerable trouble of late. The two sons of Mrs. Miller were sent to San Quentin but the charge against the mother was dismissed. All three were "dope" fiends. Shortly before Mrs. Miller's arrest Mrs. Prescott took a 7-year-old child from the unfortunate woman, and since Mrs. Miller's release the latter has imagined all sorts of queer things, among them being that the child has died. She claims that her husband is a miner in Watsonville and would be glad to take the child if he were alive.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

There will be a special meeting this evening of the Board of Health to consider the garbage question. Members of the Board visited the crematory this morning and investigated the charges that the crematory was dumping garbage within the city limits and the result of their investigations will be brought to light this evening.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

STEAMERS TO DEPART.

Del Norte, Grays Harbor	March 23
Coos Bay, Newport	March 23
Australia, Honolulu	March 23
Peru, China and Japan	March 23
Sunol, Grays Harbor	March 23
Humboldt, Humboldt Bay	March 23
Columbia, Portland	March 23
Czarina, Coos Bay	March 23
Corona, San Diego	March 23
Orizaba, Mexico	March 23
Pomona, Humboldt Bay	March 23
Arcata, Coos Bay	March 23
A. Blanchard, Oregon ports	March 23
Farallon, Yaquina Bay	March 23
Umatilla, Vic and Pgt. Sd	March 23
Eureka, Newport	March 23
State of California, Portland	March 23
Colon, Panama	March 23
Santa Rosa, San Diego	March 23

STEAMERS TO ARRIVE.

Czarina, Coos Bay	March 23
Corona, San Diego	March 23
Umatilla, Vic and Pgt Sd	March 23
San Mateo, Comox	March 23
Empire, Coos Bay	March 23
Washtenaw, Tacoma	March 24
Farallon, Yaquina Bay	March 24
Arcata, Coos Bay	March 24
Pomona, Humboldt Bay	March 24
Cleone, Crescent City	March 24
Eureka, Newport	March 25
State of California, Portland	March 25
Alice Blanchard, Portland	March 26
Santa Rosa, San Diego	March 27
Colon, Panama	March 27
Lincoln, Tacoma	March 27
City of Everett, Nanaimo	March 27
Humboldt, Humboldt Bay	March 28
Queen, Vic and Pgt Sd	March 28
Crescent City, Crescent City	March 29
Newport, Panama	March 29
North Fork, Humboldt Bay	March 29
Coos Bay, Newport	March 29
Rio de Janeiro, China and Japan	March 29

The correct periods of isolation for infectious diseases are as follows: For scarlatina, variola, varioloid and diphtheria, the period of isolation before the child is allowed to return to school should be forty days, counting from the first invasion; for measles and varicella, sixteen days is sufficient; for whooping-cough, isolation should be prolonged to three weeks after complete cessation of the characteristic whoops; for mumps, ten days after the disappearance of the local symptoms.

Cold water is the safest application for an inflamed eye. Poultices should never be used, and no one should read or sew or use the eyes for any work where close application is necessary while there is the least inflammation or pain in the nerves. It is best to be very careful in the use of the eyes for some time after all soreness has disappeared if they have been badly inflamed.

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UNION LABEL

TUESDAY .. ... MARCH 23, 1897

If Oregon's new Senator, Corbett attracts just now more attention than usual, he may thank his fortune in being born in the shadow of a great name.

San Francisco having refused to pass the ordinance prohibiting the wearing of millinary stores in a theater, there is a chance for Oakland to teach the bigger city a lesson

Blanthor has cheated the hangman and incidentally the lawyers out of some work The days when Texas was a sanctuary for fugitives from justice ended long ago as he learned to his sorrow

"Doctors build up the constitution, Legislators tear it down says the family physician in "Jim the Penman A good many of those who participated in the recent session at Sacramento entertain the same idea.

A Philadelphia editor remarks: 'In addition to a law preventing cartoonists from picturing public men as animals, there should be another prohibiting their making asses and such of themselves" It is to be hoped he was not thinking of Californians.

A few days ago the manager of the California Cotton Mills stated that under the existing tariff jute sugar bags can be made in Calcutta and placed on the market in this country, after paying the duty, at a price 25 per cent cheaper than they can be made here These are facts that need to be brought forcibly to the attention of tariff-makers.

The good folks of Woodland were overrun with tramps a few weeks ago The inhuman plan was adopted of setting them to work and now the cruel editor of the Mail writes "The agitation in favor of working the hobos has already had the desired effect, as the Weary Willies are giving Woodland the go-by The taxpayers will not object to losing this class of immigration Let the good work continue '

"The Examiner' comments on the stealing of stereotyping plates of 'Pomeroy s Municipal Laws' from Bancroft s and says that the law students are sorrowing at being deprived of so valuable a text book How about the probability that some of the would-be attorneys caused the mysterious disappearance It would be a good, and the only excuse for being stalled on so knotty a subject by the Supreme Court Commissioners

The San Jose Mercury states on the authority of the president of the Fruit Exchange at that place, that there are but fourteen carloads of dried fruit in the warehouse of that institution, whereas there were forty at this period of last year. This shows a constantly increasing demand for the dried fruits of that county, the packers of which are very careful to send none but the best of their products to market It is to be hoped that every other fruit-growing section of the State is as alive to its best interests as San Jose.

'San Pedro has just celebrated "Harbor Day,' whereupon the Los Angeles Express remarks

"It is difficult, indeed, to over-estimate the revolution which the construction of this great improvement will bring about in that locality. It means the building of wharves, of dry docks, ship yards, warehouses, new railway lines, and the establishment there of foundries, factories and a variety of lines of industrial effort '

This should be a lesson to all who would interfere with the government officials in their plans for Oakland harbor and thus jeopardize the appropriation.

Some well-meaning ladies of this city are trying to induce the school children to do something for the relief of the unemployed of San Francisco President Ralston of the Associated Charities has called a special meeting to consider the needs of the unemployed of this city, and it would seem but reasonable that the work of charity begin nearer home Some weeks ago Mayor Phelan asked Mayor Davie to try and raise a fund in Oakland for the benefit of the sufferers in India. Mayor Davie replied that there was need in Oakland of all the charity that could be enlisted and this argument is as applicable to the unemployed as to Indian coolies.

Editor Dinkelspiel of the Solano Republican is not easily misunderstood He has taken offense at a brother editor and the following paragraph is one taken at random

"He is a boodler and blackmailer by profession, and an arrant coward when confronted with cold facts He has a morbid nature, and is a conglomeration of egotism, vulgarity, obscenity, dishonesty, conceit and rascality A peddlar of the most disgusting vilification, his mental tin-horn is an insufferable bore to the public, and a disgrace to journalism."

It is surely time to ring the gong.

Offices and Office-Seekers.

The distribution of Federal patronage is just now absorbing the attention of the politicians of the country. California is apparently to be especially favored by President McKinley for in addition to the honor of the Cabinet position accorded to McKenna it is now stated that one of the large foreign missions is to be awarded to the coast. In order to secure this though, it will be necessary to sacrifice some of the minor foreign appointments and outside of the selection of Milton Green for the Consulate at Shanghai it is not probable that any other important diplomatic appointments will be distributed here.

Up to the last few days it was regarded as almost a certainty that Speaker Frank Coombs of the Assembly would be Minister to Japan but it is now known that such an event is not to be. Coombs has already received sufficient notice of the change of plans to warrant his telling his friends that he has lost his fight and it is generally understood that the place will go to General Porter who had charge of the last National Census

As for the local patronage it looks as if there will be nothing to give away outside of the direct heads of departments for it is believed that the sweeping Civil Service rule put into effect by Cleveland a few months ago is far reaching enough to affect every other official It is even thought that officers such as Assistant United States District Attorneys cannot be removed and as regards the Mint, Customs House, etc, those who are mentioned for the appointments have been advised not to promise any patronage for the chances are they will not have any to dispose of

It looks, therefore, as if the age of the office-seeker has passed away and the outcome is liable to be very marked as regards future elections. There will be no inducements outside of pure patriotism to form campaign clubs and parade with blazing torches over miles of rough streets so it will be interesting to note how many have really the interests of their party at heart or whether or not a great deal of the enthusiasm expressed hitherto has been prompted by selfish interests.

Hero Worship.

That Americans are prone to hero worship is painfully evident It does not even take a celebrity to cause gaping crowds to gather, and the newspapers to devote columns of valuable space to the subject—anything or anybody removed even in the slightest degree from the plane of the ordinary is almost as great an attraction as was Gulliver among the Lilliputians The Pacific Coast which with its aroma of western hardihood and manliness might be expected to withstand such weakness is unfortunately fast falling into the pace set by the stricken East and the arrival in San Francisco of a tenth rate nobleman who is never heard of in his own country is enough to set the whole town agog

Just now the multitudes are bowing and scraping before savagery as exemplified by the victors of the prize-ring Bob Fitzsimmons who by a blow that left an opponent breathless has been crowned the emperor of modern gladiators, is receiving adulation far greater than is in many instances meted out to a conquering general His perambulations through the streets of the metropolis form the signal for a general suspension of business as the great man passes by and when he partakes of his meals or enters a barber's shop to get his hair cut a frantic crowd blocks the sidewalks and treads on everybody s toes just to get a glimpse at the hero One of the greatest misfortunes of this sort of thing is that the leading newspapers of the coast are pandering to this vicious appetite They exhibit with pride at their central offices the blood-stained sponge that mopped the face of the mighty Fitz and the knife that cut the rope to which the fallen Corbett clung when trying to stagger back to his feet All this is becoming very nauseating and very uncivilizing and it brings about the thought of what has civilization and education accomplished after all It does not take much of a stretch of the imagination to look back a couple of thousand years to the days when the Roman gladiators met in the Colosseum The same feeling that made the rabble howl with glee when the slaves were made to battle with each other in the amphitheatre is with us now the same strain of brutality that maddens with the sight of blood has not been thinned out and the conclusion that the animal is still the predominating influence of our existence is unwillingly forced upon us Still it is as well not to cultivate it as we are doing now, let the prize-fighter be relegated to the oblivion he deserves and instead of holding up the victors of the fistic arena to public view as heroes and conquerors, let us turn our thoughts to better and purer things.

The minor traits, habits, and foibles of distinguished men have a special interest for many people A correspondent of the Chicago Record gives this side view of three men in the Cabinet "Secretary Long is reputed to be the musical member of the Cabinet He sings bass in the choir of the Unitarian Church at Hingham, and belongs to a musical society in Boston which gives oratorios cantatas and other serious music It is claimed that the secretary can carry the bass to an anthem as well as any singer in all the six States of New England, and that he used to sing solos in church when he was young Secretary Alger is a good deal of a hand at a war song, and will be a great addition to Senator Hawley's choir at Loyal Legion banquets, but he does not pretend to have any technical knowledge of religious music Mr Shern an does not know one tune from another During the last campaign, while he was stumping in Ohio, the band played "I'm Looking for the Bully of the Town" to open his meeting As soon as it finished that spirited air Mr Sherman rose and declared that nothing so inspired a citizen with patriotism for the performance of his duties to his country as the majestic strains of our grand old national hymn, 'The Star Spangled Banner,' and he thanked the band for giving him the text of his speech Everybody laughed, of course, and Mr Sherman said afterward that it was the most irreverent audience he had ever addressed"

San Francisco has again awoke to the realization of the fact that she needs a post office building. It is about time the periodical fit seized Oakland.

A Central Park.

The recommendation of the park committee of the Board of Trade as to the reclamation of the tide lands between Eighth street bridge and Twelfth street dam is a good one Two purposes would be served by such a move—first, the obtaining of the park, and secondly the blotting out of one of the most unsightly features of the city. Lake Merritt is a picturesque sheet of water and it is a pity that by turning the eye in an opposite direction a series of mud flats and misshapen pools should immediately destroy the pleasant effect produced by the view to the north.

About twenty acres of land are included in the project advised by the committee and as the title is now claimed by the Oakland Water Front Company, the first step to be taken is to secure a relinquishment of its claim by that corporation. Then a formal dedication must be made for park purposes and work can begin. It would not be a particularly expensive operation, in view of the good that would be accomplished, and it is certain that the outlay would receive the endorsement of every public-spirited citizen

With the park on one side of Twelfth street dam and Lake Merritt on the other, Oakland could lay claim to the most charming scenic situation in this part of the country Outside of the boon immediately derived by the citizens, incalculable benefit would result from the standpoint of an advertisement for the town It is, of course, understood that this lake park is simply a branch of the main issue which calls for a large park within reaching distance of the city.

HARD KNOCKS.

Snapshots That Seem to Need a Little Developing.

Now there are two Jims "out of a job"—Corbett and Ingalls Or does the ex-champion spell it "j-a-k?" The "frightful example' role is about the only one left open for either to fill —Napa Journal.

John J Ingalls knows a little something himself about how it feels to get a knock-out blow. He was knocked out of the political ring in Kansas, and has never been able to crawl under the ropes since

It is 10 to 1 that Corbett's first wife is just as jubilant as she was when he whipped big John L. Sullivan three years ago

Carson can now fully sympathize with Canton as she will know what it is to be left alone in the world after the excitement is over —Springfield Republican

The members of the Livermore Athletic Club are considering the advisability of offering Corbett the position of club instructor at a salary of $2 50 a week and board —Livermore Herald.

A lady in Oakland remarked that if women would only stand shoulder to shoulder, they would yet win the suffrage cause. But that is something they can t do on account of the present style of sleeves —Livermore Herald.

The Democratic papers are all repeating from the Escondido Times the following 'It is estimated that about 1,175 000 men have gone to work since McKinley's election They are all working for the job of Postmaster in their respective towns, the estimate being about twelve workers for each office' We presume the above may be correct, but it don't hold a rushlight to the situation in 1893, when every man that had voted for Cleveland with their cousins and aunts, were in line for official plums, and because the great Grover couldn't make the plums hold out he was spoken of in language unfit for the newspapers —Placer Argus

A woman writing in one of the magazines lately said "To flirt with a husband after marriage is the sacred duty of every wife" Thereupon that sacrilegious and cold blooded paper, the Louisville Courier-Journal, asked 'But with whose husband?'—Record-Union.

SIDEWALK CUSPIDORS.

Many Towns Besides Oakland Are Anxious to Be Rid of Them.

Mrs Dr. Shuey of Oakland's Health Board is not the only official who is annoyed by people making cuspidors of sidewalks

It affects other towns, as the following paragraphs prove:

"Chico has improved upon the anti-expectoration ordinances that are rapidly being adopted throughout the country. In addition to enacting a law against spitting on the sidewalks, etc, it has passed an ordinance forbidding the sprinkling of clothes in laundries by the expectoration process. Those who have seen Chinese fill their mouths with water and blow it in sprays over the clothes they were about to iron will naturally hope that Stockton may adopt a like ordinance and have it explained to the barbarians who thus sow seeds of disease in the places where it will bear early and deadly fruit. As people of otherwise cleanly habits will continue to send their clothing to the uncleanly barbarians to be washed, they should be protected from this filthy and dangerous source of disease."—Stockton Independent.

"The anti-spitting ordinance has gone into effect in San Francisco, but Fresno sidewalks are still decorated by chawful artists with salivated designs resembling as much as anything war maps of Cuba or ex-Secretary Morton's pictorial idea of the interior of a hog"—Fresno Republican.

Mr. Holmes, the librarian of Queen Victoria, is making rapid progress with his life of the Queen. It is characteristic of Her Majesty's love of thoroughness that she revises every sheet of the manuscript herself, and that she will strike out the slightest biographical error which may occur. The Queen's memory is singularly acute, and she very often surprises her Ministers by correcting them in some trifling detail

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OUR NATIONAL WEALTH.

The Narrow Margin Which Separates the World From Starvation

What we now call society in this country consists of about seventy-three million human beings Each one must be supplied every day with two and one-half to five pounds of food material, with fuel wherewith to cook it, and with a certain amount of textile fabrics or furs and with some boards to put over his head.

The world, as a whole, is always within about one year of starvation within two or three years of becoming naked, and within a very few years of becoming houseless In this country nearly 2 000,000 human beings are added every year to the population That number would soon crowd existing dwellings to death, unless in each year about half a million of men were occupied in adding to the number of dwellings already existing.

We call ourselves very rich We gloat over the billions of dollars' worth of property disclosed by the figures of the census In 1890 the computation reached the huge sum of over sixty-five billions of dollars Only think of it! How rich we are! But what does it all come to? About one-third of this valuation is the estimated value of the land on which capital has been placed Land is our endowment, not our creation If we deduct a reasonable sum for land valuation what is left is the capital of the community—about forty-five billion dollars This is an estimate in dollars of what we have saved and put to purposes of enjoyment of future use in more than a century of existence as a nation Again, this is a stupendous sum What does it amount to? If the value in money of all that we consumed—food, fuel, shelter and clothing—in the census year, figured at retail prices, was equal to fifty cents per day per person, then the product of the census year reached a valuation in terms of money, in round figures, of eleven and one-half billion dollars.

In other words, in a little over a century of existence as a nation, and in less than a century of union under a constitution, we have succeeded in saving products of human labor in the form of public buildings, warehouses, workshops, factories, railways vessels, dwellings tools, machinery, and goods and wares on the way from the producer to the actual consumer, to the amount of a little over $700 worth per head We consume every year nearly a third as much as this measure of all our savings —From the Engineering Magazine.

FIRST USES OF GUNPOWDER.

The Tradition that Guns Were First Used by the English at the Battle of Crecy, in 1846.

The invention of gunpowder is shown by Mr. Oscar Guttmann, in his book on the manufacture of explosives, to have been most probably an evolution The Greek fire of naptha, mentioned by early European and Arabian writers, is believed to have been a composition containing nitre, sulphur and charcoal Marcus Graecus, who wrote in the tenth century gives a composition for charging rockets and crackers closely approaching that of modern blasting powder This receipt is quoted by Albertus Magnus, and another one not so clear, is given by Roger Pacon None of these writers, however, speak of the use of such substances in any way like the firing of projectiles from guns, on the contrary, they all describe crackers and bombs or maroons and say that these were discharged into towns from ballistae or catapults or mangonels for the purpose of setting fire to them. Mr Guttmann has found however, in the Wardrobe Accounts of King Edward III of England an entry between A. D. 1345 and 1349 giving credit to one Thomas of Roldeston for the King s work for his guns, for 912 pounds of saltpetre and 836 pounds of live sulphur. This seems to confirm the tradition that guns were used by the English at the battle of Crecy in 1346 Mr Guttmann decides that Berthold Schwartz invented this use of gunpowder about 1313 If so, Schwartz must have been very young at the time, or else have lived to a very great age, for the date of his death is given in 1384 —Popular Science Monthly.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The Duchess of Fife has followed the example of her mother, the Princess of Wales, and invested in a spinning wheel. It is a very pretty one of black walnut, mounted with brass, and, although 100 years old, still in excellent working condition. With this wheel the Duchess spins her yarn, which she knits into golf stockings for her husband.

The receipt of a large sum to be devoted to the needs of any destitute family of the town led to a diligent investigation by a charitable institution of Morgantown, W. Va, with the result of establishing the fact that there was not in the town or adjacent country a family so poor that it needed the money.

Dr. Gremer, the member of the French Parliament, who is a convert to Islam, advocates polygamy as a means of checking the decline in the population of France. The doctor s scheme will hardly find favor with the exceedingly thrifty Gauls, a large proportion of whom consider even one wife a too expensive feature of domestic economy.

The greatest dandy in the world is said to be Prince Albert of Thurn, the son of a petty German ruler This fastidious young man attires himself in a new suit of clothes every day, enough yearly to keep twenty experienced workmen going and to run up a bill of $15,000 Each suit of wearing apparel is highly perfumed with attar of roses at $15 an ounce He wears no less than 1,000 neckties during a year, being an average of three every day A laundry employing twelve people is kept specially for washing his soiled linen, which he never wears more than twice, and his cast off boots number 200 pairs a year. The cigarette bill of this highly scented young gentleman reaches the respectable total of $1,000 per annum, and the different sports he indulges in, including hunting, shooting, fishing, golfing and bicycling, cost him more than $75,000.

SHE TALKS BACK.

Mrs. Dr. F. E. McCullough Has a Reply to Her Husband's Statement.

DESERTED FOR ANOTHER.

Disregard of the Duty of a True and Loving Husband.

A BEANS AND MUSH DIET.

Alleged Use of Hypnotism to Secure a Confession of Bad Conduct.

Mrs Mary C McCullough, who is suing her husband, Dr Frank E McCullough, for a divorce, has been persuaded by her friends to make public her side of the story in justice to her family, as she puts it, as well as to herself

Mrs McCullough is a pretty woman, about 25 years of age She is a brunette, and has large, earnest eyes that give force to every word she utters

When she married Dr McCullough, she says she looked forward to a bright and happy future No cloud of trouble dimmed her horizon, and she regarded her husband with a love that is only equaled by the aversion with which she now regards him Her story was corroborated by a younger sister and was related to a Tribune reporter substantially as follows

MRS McCULLOUGH'S STORY

"First," said she, 'and her eyes grew moist, 'I wish to say emphatically that I am a respectable woman I wish some one would take the trouble to go to East Oakland and investigate my character My life is known to all our neighbors, and one word of suspicion has never been whispered about me. If ever I have signed a statement as Dr McCullough says I have, that I had been intimate with other men I did it under hypnotic influence Dr McCullough is a hypnotist of no mean ability and he may have hypnotized me while I was asleep To my knowledge I have never signed such a statement, nor have I made an oral statement to that effect I had no cause to make such a statement, for I have always been a dutiful wife

WHEN THEY FIRST MET

"I met Dr McCullough at the bedside of a friend who was ill. That was early in 1895 I lived in San Francisco, and had no chance to learn his reputation. Toward the end of that year I married him"

The last sentence was spoken in an almost inaudible voice as though Mrs McCullough had signed her doom when that step was taken, and for a few seconds there was a profound silence Then she began again slowly at first, then indignantly, when her husband s alleged perfidy was recounted

'Before I had lived with him two mon hs I learned his true character But I continued to live with him, hoping against hope that I might find some way to bring him back to a realization of his duties and responsibilities.

HER HUSBAND S CONDUCT.

"Dr McCullough's actions with a young woman—I do not know her name—became so notorious that East Oakland mothers refused to allow their daughters to dance with him He was a constant visitor at Jones dancing academy, which met once a week at Masonic Hall, at Twelfth and Washington streets, and this woman was always there with him Their actions at that dancing academy were what are called 'spooney' and it was the talk of the town Once I went there in our phaeton I waited for him to come out He was the last to come, and with him was that woman I called to him to take me home, that I was his wife, but he put his arm around her and they hurried off down the street I drove to the home of Dr Wilkes and he took me to my home, where he waited till my husband came I went out then but the door was left open, and I heard Dr Wilkes tell my husband that he ought to be ashamed of himself

'O that's nothing,' answered my husband, that girl has been my friend ever since she was fifteen years old, which is four years ago. I got a lot of money out of her family by treating them

'Later I watched this office while she was with him for three hours The blinds of the office window were drawn, and I went into the building I saw her when she came out. I followed her till I got sight of her face Then I went home in disgust How any man could break up a home for such a woman I couldn t understand.

CLAIMED TO BE INSANE

'In the early part of February of this year my husband tried to induce my mother to swear to a complaint charging me with insanity, and it was then that my family learned the true state of affairs and took me to their home in San Francisco On the 13th of February Dr McCullough left this city, ostensibly to attend a medical convention in San Diego, but in reality to take a trip with this young woman I heard of it, and that is what induced me to go with my folks when they wished to take me home

A FORMER MARRIAGE

'Dr McCullough had a wife before he married me She got a divorce from him in 1893 It was a parallel case with mine When I married him he told me his former wife was a disreputable woman and I believed him, but I have since learned the true state of affairs She was a respectable woman, and during their first few years of married life he made her go out in service to support him He then went on a boat as a store-keeper, and when he returned she wasn't good enough for him socially He abused her till she secured a divorce.

HIS PARENTS

"Dr McCullough is ashamed of his parents He would never talk to me of them and would never let me visit them I have since learned that his father is a poor tailor at 20 Moss avenue in San Francisco

"My husband was the most impecunious man at home that I have ever heard of although it is said he is liberal with his associates. When I used to visit my home in San Francisco he would give me five cents and tell me to get the remainder of my fare from my parents. When my mother spoke to him about the food in our house he said there were plenty of beans and plenty of mush That is what he expected me to live on. He never bought me but one thing while I lived with him, and that was a pair of shoes Once I took it and bought myself a cheap dress, and I never saw so mad a man as he was He immediately rushed out and bought himself a half dozen pair of shoes and dixed himself up so that no one knew him.

DENIED HIS MARRIAGE.

"He never liked to have me go on his rounds with him, as he wished to appear as a single man He never admitted that he was married When I talked of getting a divorce from him he said he would ruin my reputation There were plenty of men he said, who would swear away my reputation for $2 or $3 It was a nightly occurrence for him to leave me alone till 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning. Dr. McCullough says he has been practicing medicine for seven years This is untrue He has been practicing only two years"

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Her Mistake.

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Here was a peculiar feature of their characters The serious boy was brimful of fun, while the one that was always smiling hadn't a particle of fun in his composition.

One day their mother found them in the china closet, which was forbidden territory, and both boys had been eating preserves They were their own witnesses, and neither could prove an alibi

I'll whip you both," said the mother, "and not show any partiality You both look like little pigs"

Off came the maternal slipper, and Master David had a good trouncing, and the mother had seized Claude to give him the same, when she was disturbed by a caller, who stayed so long that the punished twin had stopped jerying to listen to the conversation

'Now, Claude, it's your turn" said the mother and whack! whack! went the slipper sole while the wriggling youngster howled and bawled

"'Tain t fair' he sobbed "you got the wrong pig by th' ear, mamma"

"Do you mean to say, Claude, that you are not as guilty as your brother?"

But the boy kept on howling, and then the other twin said with a calm intonation that spoke of an unruffled disposition:

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WILL COME HERE LATER.

The Point Richmond Depot Is Not for Passenger Service.

Prospect That a Ferry Run Will Extend Between Oakland and San Francisco.

Although the Valley Road has decided to establish its freight depot at Point Richmond, this does not interfere with the passenger depot in this city. One of the officials of the company said yesterday:

"Oakland will probably get a Valley Road terminal in the future—either a near or a distant one. An Oakland terminal is one of the wishes and plans of the company, and after a while its passenger ferry boats will probably be running from Market street across to a mole a little north of the Southern Pacific mole. When this time comes about Point Richmond will remain the freight terminal, while passenger trains will proceed down the bay shore by some route inside of the Southern Pacific line and out on the mole. And when this comes it may be anticipated that there will be connection of some sort with a street railway system to handle the suburban passenger traffic across the bay, which would become an important feature of the Valley Road Company's business."

Vice President Watt of the Valley Road said last night that nothing has been definitely settled except the depot at Point Richmond.

"Of course we would not have any local passenger business from Point Richmond," he said, "but we could handle very successfully what passenger business we will have and all of our freight business. It will require but one boat to do this, instead of a fleet such as we would be compelled to have were we to attempt to compete with the Southern Pacific Company in Oakland. This one boat could make hourly trips and carry our main line passengers and freight, and do all of the business of the road in a very cheap and yet satisfactory manner.

"It is true that we have had under consideration a route into Oakland through the hills of Fruitvale, over the route once surveyed by the San Francisco and Great Salt Lake Road. This route has been abandoned completely since the selection of Point Richmond. Our road will now come in from the north, and the exact line has not been finally selected. We have two routes between Martinez and Point Richmond under consideration, but have done nothing east of there. The Franklin canyon route is most likely to be chosen."

CHAPLAIN'S REVENGE.

The Play Will Be Presented Before a Very Large Audience.

The theatricals at Berkeley tonight will, of course, be the social event of the day nor will it be lacking in literary interest, as the play, "The Chaplain's Revenge" has been written by Professor L. Dupont Syle. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Students' Aid Society. The cast is as follows: Chaplain of the fleet, Frank Dunn; Baron Broxted, G. D. Kleruff; Sir Robert Levett, W. W. Mein; Will Levett, H. H. Hirst; Harry Temple, Esq., J. A. Elston; Solomon Stablesbrus, G. L. Cross; Richard Savage, H. C. Marmon; Sir Miles Tacklington, J. N. Force; Henry Wharncliffe, a man about town, Elliott Pierce; Roger, a runner, Silas Geis; David, a runner, G. L. Cross; Thomas, an old servant, F. T. Bioletti; postboy, C. W. Coleman; Lady Levett, Miss L. E. Moller; Nancy Levett, Miss E. B. Lyle; Mistress Esther Pimpernell, Miss Elsie Kleruff; Mrs. Gambit, Miss A. L. Henry; Kitty Pleydell, Miss A. F. Brown.

Chicago Hogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Hogs light, $3.90 @ $4.15; mixed, $3.95 @ $4.17½; heavy, $3.75 @ $4.20; rough, $3.75 @ 3.80; cattle, beeves, $3.60 @ $5.15; cows and heifers, $2.00 @ $4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.30 @ $4.25.

WHY JIM WAS BEATEN

Billy Delaney Tells the Inside History of the Fight.

CORBETT'S QUEER METHODS.

He Refused to Heed the Advice of His Trainer.

NO VITALITY OR STEAM

Delaney Figured on a Defeat After the Fourth Round.

Billy Delaney is very sore in spirit over the result of the championship fight and although it is not true that he and Corbett have had an open quarrel, it is nevertheless a fact that they are at outs and that they have had no communication with each other since the day of the fight.

Billy thinks that Corbett lost the championship because he would not obey instructions, and as the outcome is not only on the face of it a little reflection on his trainers, Delaney thinks that he, too, has got the worst of it. Furthermore, Billy is sorry because he had tipped Jim as a sure winner to his friends and as a result most of them are broke.

"Three days before the fight Corbett was in as perfect condition as it was possible to get him," said Delaney to a Tribune man this morning. He was then on edge and should have eased up until he entered the ring. Muldoon, Al Smith, Billy Madden and other prominent New York sports got in on Sunday, though, and Jim was anxious to show them how much work he could do. In accomplishing this he virtually killed himself.

"The Sunday before the fight, when he should have been resting he actually multiplied his work and all to show off to his Eastern friends. He went out in the morning and jogged ten miles and in the afternoon he punched the bag a long time, played half a dozen games at handball and boxed four rounds each with Woods, Jeffries, McVey and his brother Joe—the hardest kind of boxing, too. He kept this up the next day and even the day before the fight he would not let up. He went out on the road again and did not get in until a quarter to 6 in the evening. All of this was contrary to my instructions. I did not sanction it, but he would not pay any attention to my advice.

OBJECTED TO HANDBALL.

"All along I opposed his handball playing. He liked that form of training because he could beat those he went up against, but I told him it was no good for him. It is too fatiguing for a man who is a greyhound like Jim; it is good enough for a fat fellow and that's all. As I told his brother long before the fight if I hadn't been afraid of being caught I would have burned down the court and stopped his working in it.

"Another thing I disapproved of was that he wouldn't touch liquor in any shape. Some one had given him that theory and he wouldn't take a bottle of ale or a glass of champagne, although I was telling him he needed some malt to supply the drain on his system by his hard work. To give you an idea of the mistake he was making, the night before the fight when he came in from the ten-mile run he was as dry as a bone, though he should have been bathed in perspiration. Why, Fitzsimmons, for the four days previous to the fight was riding around in a buggy with his wife and was taking a drink up town every time he wanted to. As to which man was right in his ideas I will leave the fact of the condition of the two men in the ring.

"I want to say right here that when a man goes into a ring for a finish fight not knowing how long he will be there he should have some superflous flesh. It is a fact that a man will lose five pounds in the course of anything like a good fight. Jim, therefore, should have been prepared for this instead of which by training down to the very last minute, he did not have an extra ounce of flesh on his bones.

THE FIGHT ITSELF.

"The morning of the fight I was a little bit afraid of the outcome, but still I thought Jim would win, because I figured that even though he was not in the condition he ought to be, he was more than a match for Fitzsimmons. After the fight started, though, I got scared. He was hitting Fitz all the time but was not hurting him badly, and I could see that there was no steam or vitality to his blows. In the fourth round Billy Brady, who was in our corner, said to me, 'How do you like it?'

"'I don't like it at all,' I replied, 'I think we are up against it.'

"In the round where Fitz was down Jim might have won, but he stood right over Fitz and wouldn't give him a chance to get up. Jim should have stepped back seven or eight feet, but instead he stood over Fitz waiting for him to rise and the referee had to push him away. Had Jim stood away in the first place Fitz would have got up much quicker and Jim would have had a chance to get a few more punches at him and might have got him out.

"In the tenth round Jim was tiring, and I told him he was in for an all-day fight. He was very confident then and said that he would win. I objected to the incessant talking he kept up in his corner. There were a couple of his friends there who wanted to talk with him, and Jim instead of taking every opportunity to breathe was conversing with them.

"As regards the result, I want to say that Fitz didn't win on any fluke. Jim can't fight any better than he did and Fitz is entitled to all the credit in the world. Jim shouldn't have melted away in the manner he did after the sixth round, and it was all due to the shape he was in. He was hitting Fitz often enough but not hard enough. I have seen him with a pair of eight ounce gloves bring Jeffries to his knees with a blow and I don't think Fitz can stand a harder punch than Jeffries, who is a veritable young giant.

THE MEN COMPARED.

"The difference between Fitzsimmons and Corbett is that Fitz never loses his hitting powers. He can always hit at the right time and in the right place. Fitz displayed more generalship than I have ever seen in the ring. I don't think the two men will ever fight again. What Corbett should do is to fight every one who wants to meet him for from four to ten rounds, and I want to say that if he can't lick those other fellows, Maher, Choynski, Goddard and Sharkey he can't whip Fitzsimmons.

"I do not consider that I trained Jim for this fight. I did for all his winning ones, but this time there were a couple of men there—I won't mention their names—who could make him eat standing on his head if they wanted him to. I have not seen Jim since the day of the fight, nor have I heard from him. I picked him up in the ring after the knock-out and got him on his legs. When he started to go for Fitz after that I told him to let up and not be foolish. I was with him afterwards in his dressing room and went to the depot to see him off. That is the last I have had to do with him."

Regarding the story in a San Francisco evening paper yesterday that there were ugly rumors of a fake, Delaney responded, "Such talk is absurd. Why you couldn't get Jim to lay down for the United States Mint."

Corbett will be in Oakland on Saturday evening and will give an exhibition at the Macdonough Theater.

IT WENT DOWN IN DEBT.

The Sequel to the Flag Brigade of Two Years Ago.

An Old Debt Recalled and Now There Is a Hunt for Money.

The last chapter of the story of the trials and misfortunes of the Alameda County Midwinter Fair Girls' Flag Brigade was ended today, but there may be a second volume.

Judge Clift entered a judgment today in the case of James A. Joyce vs. Mrs. M. L. Chandler, Mrs. E. H. Long and Mrs. M. S. Schaffin for plaintiff, awarding him $216.88.

The trial involves events of three years ago, when the Girls' Brigade was a flourishing organization. The three defendants in the case were president, secretary and treasurer respectively. The brigade had 250 marching members, and great were the preparations for the parade on Alameda County day at the Midwinter Fair. For days beforehand the fond mammas sewed on dresses for their warlike daughters, paying a stipulated sum to the officers of the society for the goods.

When the time for parading came, it was discovered that the money placed in Mrs. Chandler's hands had not been used to pay expenses of the organization, nor could she give an accounting of what she had done with the sum.

The society disbanded amidst the greatest confusion. Directors refused to act, officers suddenly resigned and the girls and their parents absolutely refused to pay another cent.

Joyce wanted the money for the dress goods he had supplied the brigade. He brought suit, and today judgment was entered in his favor. The decision appeared to surprise the ladies of the society, many of whom thought it had been outlawed.

"I thought that bill was outlawed before now," said Mrs. W. F. Anam, one of the directors. "There is no money to pay it, and I suppose Mrs. Schiefflin will have to stand the expense of it. There were continual complaints being made over the management of the brigade, and Mrs. Chandler certainly acted very peculiarly. Mrs. Schiefflin will have to pay for it all, I suppose, as the brigade girls won't and no one else can."

Mrs. Schiefflin is equally positive that the entire amount will not be paid by her, and Mrs. Chandler declares she ought not to be forced to pay.

A WELL-ROUNDED LIFE.

Jacob T. Canmmeyer, Late of New York, Passes Away.

The Deceased Was an Uncle of County Assessor Henry Dalton.

Jacob T. Cammeyer, an old and highly esteemed resident of New York, died at the home of his nephew, Assessor Henry P. Dalton, 1454 Eighth street, last night.

Mr. Cammeyer was a native of New York and was 68 years of age.

He came from one of the old Dutch families of the State, and numbered among his ancestors some of the early Governors of New York.

Up to eight years ago he was a prominent merchant of his native city and accumulated a large fortune. Since retiring he has been a great traveler.

County Assessor Dalton was the old gentleman's favorite nephew, and Mr. Cammeyer had visited Oakland a number of times. He and Mr. Dalton visited the World's Fair in Chicago together.

Last year Mr. Cammeyer was quite low in New York, and Mr. Dalton went on there to attend him. Mr. Cammeyer recovered, and last fall he came to live with his nephew in this city.

Mr. Dalton will probably inherit the greater part of his uncle's large fortune.

The funeral will take place next Wednesday at 3 P. M. The services will be held at the residence of Mr. Dalton. The remains will be interred in Mountain View Cemetery in this city.

A CLEVER MUSICIAN.

No instrument is making more rapid advancement of late than the banjo. No instrument is as picturesque, as pleasing; none can give such marvelous emphasis to chords. Oakland is to be congratulated upon having as a permanent resident, a teacher of the banjo, in S. C. Baldwin, who is absolutely without a rival on this instrument. He has done much to elevate its musical character, his public recitals have accentuated his reputation and his success as a teacher is acknowledged by many of our most prominent society people. He is easily the best teacher of the banjo, mandolin and guitar in this city.

A STRONG ANSWER.

Reply to the Complaint of John Aylward of Livermore.

NO ATTEMPT AT FREEZE-OUT.

Why the Assessment Objected to Was Considered Necessary.

J. STANLEY'S PROPOSITION.

Delinquency Only on Stock of One of the Share-Holders.

The Livermore Water Company, William J. Dingee, Frank J. Moffitt, William F. Boardman, J. M. Carroll, E. P. Cook and Edward Magary Jr., the defendants in the suit brought by John Aylward of Livermore have by their attorney George W. Baker, filed their answer to the complaint and in it they give their side of the case.

STANLEY'S PROPOSITION.

On the second of June, 1896, says the defendants James Stanley came to Messrs. Dingee and Boardman with a proposition to form the Water Company. He represented that he owned all of the property mentioned in the complaint but said that Elizabeth Rogers held on it a mortgage which she had foreclosed, although the time for redemption had not expired.

He said also that the property would be lost if not redeemed and wanted to form a corporation to redeem it and put it on a paying basis by the expenditure of a small sum.

After a series of negotiations, it was agreed to join with Stanley in the enterprise and the company was formed.

Stanley, Boardman, and Dingee visited the property and found the plant in a very dilapidated state, needing the expenditure of several thousand dollars to put it in paying condition.

AN ATTEMPT TO MORTGAGE.

The defendants tried to raise the money by mortgaging the property but no one could be found who would take the loan and the proposition to bond it proved equally as unsuccessful. The $6,000 mortgage held by Mrs. Rogers was not paid and there was a need for other money.

Dingee and Boardman advanced something over $8,000 toward the repair of the plant and other debts standing and accruing brought the debt up to $18,131.89.

WHY ASSESSED.

This they say was the reason for levying the assessment complained of by Aylward and thus, without his assistance or aid the corporation was formed.

They further allege that their connection with the Company has always been in good faith and as an evidence of this they offer to transfer to the plaintiff or to any person whom he may name all of the stock of the corporation upon repayment to them of the money they have expended.

AYLWARD NOT IN IT.

They admit that William J. Dingee and James Stanley did, in June 1896, agree to form a water and power corporation for the purpose of supplying the town of Livermore but they deny that the plaintiff—Aylward was a party to the contract, or that the shares of stock which went to Stanley were to be held in trust for him. It is also denied that there was any agreement whatsoever as to the disposition of the stock which Mr. Dingee took as his share.

The allegation that it was agreed that Mr. Dingee should have the direction of the affairs of the new corporation and further that no assessment should be levied is denied in toto as is the statement that Mr. Dingee was to furnish $25,000 to relieve the $6,000 incumbrance on the property, pay the plaintiff $2,000 and to purchase certain riparian rights and to put the plant in good repair.

MORE DENIALS.

In regard to bonding the property the defendants admit that Dingee and Stanley did agree that after the corporation was formed they would attempt to mortgage or bond the property to take up the Elizabeth Rogers' lien and for such other purposes as might be necessary but deny that Mr. Dingee ever estimated the property to be worth $100,000 and on information and belief deny that Aylward ever owned the property in question.

The formation of the corporation and the distribution of the stock they admit but deny that the stock held by Stanley was to be held by him for Aylward.

OLD STANDING.

The standing of the property before the transfer to the company is a matter of which the defendants had no knowledge. It appeared in the name of James Stanley and he made the deed to the corporation so on information and belief the answer denies that the plaintiff caused Stanley to execute or deliver the deed.

That F. J. Moffitt was through the instrumentality of Mr. Dingee invested with some of the stock and then made president of the company or that he accepted the stock for the purpose of defrauding the plaintiff is specifically denied.

The amount which Mr. Dingee and the other defendants advanced to better the property was $10,600 and not $6,000 and in regard to the assessment of $10 a share, they assert that it was regularly made at a meeting of the stockholders, in conformity with the law governing corporations, and that all of the stockholders have paid the assessment save and except James Stanley. They deny that the assessment was made for the purpose of depriving Aylward of his rights or that Mr. Moffitt took his office as president for any other purpose than to serve the corporation.

They deny that Mr. Dingee is not solvent or that by carrying out the assessment the plaintiff will be cheated out of his property.

Y. M. C. A. Reception.

There will be a members' social reception at the Y. M. C. A. tonight, under the auspices of the young people of the First Presbyterian Church. A pleasant time is assured all who attend, and all young people are cordially invited to be present.

MABEL DUFF.

The Wayward Girl May Be Reformed at Beulah Park.

The efforts of Judge Allen and Chief of Police Lloyd to save pretty Mabel Duff may be rewarded with success. The three held a long consultation this morning, and the girl agreed to go the Rescue Home at Beulah Park. Judge Allen is deeply interested in the girl's case.

"The girl is not bad at heart," said he, "and I believe under the proper influence she will reform."

While the girl is hardened she has more than once expressed a wish to lead a better life, and those who are interested in her case are quite sanguine that by keeping her away from her old associates for a year or so she will return to the ways of her early youth. Her waywardness, they claim, is simply the result of her environments. The girl is but 18 years old and has led her present life for three years.

Sheep Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Sheep closing strong. Lambs a shade lower, native sheep, $2.80@$4.50; westerns, $3.75@$4.50; lambs, $3.80@$5.50.

FINE PLAYS EVERYWHERE

"Shore Acres" Will Be Seen Tonight at the Macdonough.

The "Nutmeg Match" Scores a Hit at the Oakland Theater.

A fine scenic production of James A. Herne's beautiful play, "Shore Acres," will be given at the Macdonough Theater this evening and tomorrow night.

To one who has not seen this charming idyl of New England life and character a mere description could scarcely be anything but misleading. It comes within the coined-term class of "atmosphere plays," and the atmosphere is that of a little lighthouse settlement on the coast of Maine. The characters, and there are a goodly number, are native to the soil, their speech and thought their own. The usual climax and situation are almost altogether wanting, in fact entirely so, if one except the fight between the two brothers in the lighthouse. Nevertheless, the story is intensely interesting and abounds with humor and pathos. The character of Nathaniel Berry is admirably drawn, and represents a new departure in dramatic literature. The love scenes between Helen and the young physician are also attractive and add greatly to the interest of the play. There are also a number of little children in "Shore Acres," and the author introduces them in such a skillful manner that they never become tiresome.

OAKLAND THEATER.

There was a large audience at the Oakland Theater last evening who enjoyed the delightful New England comedy "A Nutmeg Match," and became so demonstrative in their approval that the action of the play was, at one time suspended and Mr. Heron was compelled to address the audience, so persistant were they in demanding additional encores to the musical specialties. That Lottie Williams and Ed. J. Heron have won the popularity with musical comedies interspersed with catchy selections is shown by the large audiences they are attracting. "A Nutmeg Match" is a three-act New England play. Lottie Williams is a vivacious little woman, who as Cinders is seen to excellent advantage. Brick, the village boy as created by Mr. Heron is a peculiarly eccentric character that revels in laughter. Mr. Nannary gave a very artistic and well modulated interpretation of Dave Blake, a reformed drunkard. The Uncle Bob of Mr. Hallett is a clever piece of character work, but he became inaudible at times. The play will run all the week.

BALDWIN THEATER.

Fanny Davenport closes her engagement at the Baldwin at the end of this week. "Gismonda" is billed for the entire week except Saturday evening when "La Tosca" will be presented. Miss Davenport will give silver Sardou-Davenport souvenirs to the ladies attending Saturday night's performance.

CALIFORNIA THEATER.

The interest in the French opera is on the increase. There is a very large sale for "The Huguenots" tomorrow night. On Thursday night everybody interested in opera should want to hear Massenet's great work "La Navarraise," which ranks high among modern compositions. The Saturday matinee and night bills are exceptionally popular, "Aida" comes next week, and Albers will be a great card in "Rigoletto." "La Julve" made such a success at the last matinee that it is to be repeated by request. It is likely "Hamlet" will be given later. Albers is the greatest Hamlet now on the stage. The best performances are just coming.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

A thrilling melodrama "The Great Northwest" is the attraction at the Grand Opera House. It is one of the most exciting and thrilling plays that has ever been staged at Morosco's Grand Opera House. It deals with Western life and scenes and there are some very elaborate stage settings in the third act, when a blizzard overtakes the hero. Irma Fitch, the new soubrette is a bright, clever actress and sings some new songs very prettily.

THE TIVOLI.

An enjoyable performance of "The Merry Wives of Windsor" was given at the Tivoli last evening. It is a delightful opera with plenty of tuneful music. Laura Millard made her first appearance after a long absence and was very warmly welcomed by the audience. Her singing and acting is better than ever before. In the new opera the entire Tivoli cast is well placed.

ALCAZAR THEATER.

"The Strategists" was given a clever performance by the Alcazar stock company last evening. It is a thoroughly laughable farce full of amusing incidents.

THE ORPHEUM.

There is an excellent bill at the Orpheum this week and several new artists were introduced at last evening's performance. The house was packed last night when the novelties were presented, and most of them proved very successful. Werner and Reider, Tyrolean singers, came first of the new things, and a very clever and pleasing feature was an imitation of the nightingale, which was received with great applause. The McAvoys in a sketch called "Hogan's Alley," did some amusing character work.

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NO COMPENSATION ALLOWED.

Routine Business of All Kinds Transacted at the Last Moment.

Unless President Mott shall call a special meeting this week. the last meeting of the present City Council was held last evening.

The lobby of the chamber was packed and several of the new members dropped in to look on; among them being Mr. Pringle, who staid through the meeting intently watching the president's every movement; Upton and Fibush.

Mayor-elect Thomas also made his appearance. While the minutes were being read "Old Pard" Bassett industriously cleaned out his desk for his successor.

At the conclusion of the reading of the minutes, Bassett moved that when the Council adjourn it should be to next Monday night. His motion was carried.

OFFICIAL BONDS.

Then Manuel moved that the matter of fixing the official bonds of the various officers elected be taken up, which was done.

The bonds were fixed as follows:

Mayor, $5,000; City Attorney, $5,000; City Engineer, $5,000; Auditor, $10,000; Treasurer, $120,000.

ELECTION BOOTH RENT.

When the matter of fixing the rate of rent for the various polling places was taken up there promised to be a hitch, but the rate was fixed at $10 after two ballots had been taken. The first vote was on an amendment making the rate $5, which was offered by Manuel. It stood as follows:

Ayes—Dow, Manuel, Marshall, Towle and President Mott—5.

Noes—Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Heitmann, Kaufman, Watkinson—6.

The vote on the resolution to allow $10 rental resulted:

Ayes—Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Dow, Heitmann, Kaufman, Watkinson—7.

Noes—Manuel, Marshall, Towle and President Mott—4.

NO MONEY FOR McLEAN.

The matter of appropriating $200 toward the expenses of Dr. McLean of Alameda, who went to Washington in the interest of the harbor appropriation bill was lost by a vote of 6 to 5.

J. P. Taylor spoke in favor of the appropriation. He said he was one of the conference committee of Oakland which had met with a like committee from Alameda and decided to ask for an appropriation from Congress to dredge Oakland harbor before cutting the tidal canal, as Alameda had wished to do. Alameda had given McLean $300, said Taylor, and while the Oakland committee had not bound itself to do the same, it was understood that the Council would be asked to appropriate the amount if Dr. McLean were successful. He said he thought that Dr. McLean had done the best that could have been expected of him. He said there had been friction between the two cities, and it would be inadvisable to create more by Oakland's not standing its share of Dr. McLean's expense.

M. J. Keller also had a word to say in favor of the $200 appropriation. The Alameda people, said he, had set their hearts on having the tidal canal cut through, but had finally agreed that the harbor should be improved first. He thought it would be good policy to allow the bill.

Bassett wanted to know what results Dr. McLean had accomplished and Taylor answered that he had been assisting the appropriation in Congress as much as possible and working with the California representatives.

"As a matter of fact," said Bassett, "there has been no appropriation made. The result so far is simply an agreement between the cities that when the money is spent it shall be spent on Oakland harbor first."

Taylor said that Colonel Suter had favored the completion of Oakland harbor first.

Bassett said he didn't see what McLean had done in the premises. As yet, he said, there was merely an agreement that Oakland harbor should be improved first.

Mr. Keller said there was something more than that; that Colonel Suter had made an official recommendation, and it was to be in harmony with his recommendation that the cities had come to this agreement. The $200,000 appropriation had gone to the Senate and was bound to pass.

Bassett said it was not bound to pass.

Mott exclaimed: "If we want a representative in Washington we ought to send one of our own!"

BASSETT'S VIEWS.

Bassett said McLean went to Washington to get the tidal canal cut through and Taylor agreed with him, but said he had acted in good faith and was now working for Oakland harbor.

Towle asked if the city of Oakland had ever paid Dr. McLean and he was answered that about a year ago the Council had appropriated $200 but that Auditor Snow had refused to draw the warrant.

The vote to adopt the resolution appropriating $200 toward the expense of the Alameda Health officer in Washington resulted as follows:

Ayes—Brosnahan, Buckland, Heitmann, Marshall, Watkinson—5.

Noes—Bassett, Dow, Kaufman, Manuel, Towle and President Mott—6.

Manuel moved that the consideration of the ordinance fixing water rates for the ensuing year be taken up but he was told that the ordinance had not been in print long enough, so he withdrew his motion.

One ordinance, that of authorizing the Board of Public Works to purchase furniture for Engine House No. 2, at a cost of $1,011, was considered and unanimously passed to print.

The objections of Mrs. Hudson and others to the confirmation of the report of the commissioners on the improvement of Twelfth avenue, from East Twenty-second street to East Twenty-fourth street was taken up.

H. M. Cameron, a protestant was called and sworn. Mr. Cameron called for a map of the assessed district, which he proceeded to study at his leisure. Meanwhile, some of the Councilmen drummed on their desks while others conversed in low tones.

Finally President Mott, who had become quite restless, thought the Council had waited quite long enough.

"We're ready, Mr. Cameron," said he.

CAMERON NOT READY.

"Well, I'm not," answered Cameron, and he displayed an enviable abandon as he continued his studies.

When he had found what he sought for, Mr. Cameron explained his grounds for objecting to the report of the commission. He first objected to the payment of $250 to the secretary of the commission, saying that the amount was excessive, when there were but two blocks to be improved. He further objected to the payment of $100 to Judge Yule as attorney's fees, saying the commission had pledged itself not to employ an attorney but to secure the services of the City Attorney. He thought $90 engineer's fees were excessive, as all the work had been gone over before. His last objection was to the values, which he said were not properly equalized.

"Mr. Fraser," concluded Mr. Cameron, "is ill and could not attend, so he asked me to explain his objections. He understood, when he gave the city a strip of land 30 by 300 feet, that there would be no more assessments. He thinks it is unjust."

The commission was composed of Charles D. Hayes, H. N. Morse, and M. J. Bluel. F. Main acted as secretary. Mr. Hayes was called upon to explain the Commission's position. He said the Commission had taken upon itself the duty of trying to accomplish what two other Commissions failed to do. It had known the necessity of being cautious and had thought when it made its report, that it had done what was right, just and proper. He said only one-half of the assessments had fallen below Twenty-second street and the other half was above it. The Commission had notified the property owners several times and had held meetings to hear their views. Mr. Cameron had appeared before the Commission and his ideas had been taken into consideration. The Commission had reduced the assessments $1,000 lower than the assessments of the last Commission and it had taken great care that the property should not be overtaxed. Only one of the thirty people who had protested, said he had thought it worth while to appear before the Council. The Commission, he held, had done its best to equalize matters, and, for the matter of protestants, there was always some one who was ready to kick.

Towle wanted to know if $250 was not excessive for a secretary's fees and Hayes gave an outline of the secretary's work.

H. N. Morse said the work had taken two or three months. The Commission had given a bond of $5,000, and had acted without pay. The work had not been done on two blocks, but on fifteen blocks. All this had been figured out by the square foot and he considered the secretary's compensation fair.

F. Main, the secretary, explained the work which had been done. In answer to Manuel, he said he had possibly done work for a month and a half, although he had never figured it out. The rate had probably been $175 a month. Then Manuel moved that the objections be overruled.

Brosnahan said he would like to hear what L. J. Hardy, who was present, had to say on the matter. Hardy spoke at some length on the side of the Commission. He did not think the secretary's salary was excessive, and he would like to see the sewer put in, if possible, before next winter, which, if the objections were sustained, could not be done.

OBJECTION OVERRULED.

The vote was then taken and the objections were unanimously overruled.

The motion to adjourn, when put, also created a contest, as several important pieces of business had not been taken up. The adjournment was taken on the following vote:

Ayes—Bassett, Brosnahan, Buckland, Heitmann, Manuel, Towle—6.

Noes—Dow, Kaufman, Marshall, Watkinson and President Mott—5.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were disposed of:

To grade, curb and macadamize Seventh to Seward street.

To grade and curb East Twenty-first street from Nineteenth to Twenty-third.

Directing the City Engineer to make plans for extension of the Curtis street sewer. Street.

Ordering paid the salaries of street sprinklers, street laborers, sewer flushers and the employees of the Police and Fire Telegraph.

Authorizing the new City Attorney to purchase $225.50 worth of books for his office.

To grade, curb and macadamize East Eleventh street, between First and Second avenues.

Of intention to change the grade on Fourth avenue, between one hundred feet south of East Eighteenth to West line of Newton avenue. Street Committee.

Fixing salaries of election officers at $10.

Of intention to grade, curb and macadamize Lee street. Street Committee.

Granting J. Anselmi permission to move a barn at Third and Magnolia streets.

Granting use to the Memorial Day Committee of the Council Chamber from April 10th to June 1st.

Granting permission to construct by private contract, sewer in Fulton street from Eighth to Eleventh.

Ordering paid the claim of The Enquirer Publishing Company for $255 for printing the Auditor's report.

To sidewalk Linden street, from Eighteenth to Twenty-first.

Denying the petition to macadamize Park Way.

Of intention to sidewalk Eleventh avenue from East Twenty-third to East Twenty-eighth.

REPORTS.

The report of Bailiff Mitchell of the Police Court showing receipts for February to have been $336, was filed.

The report of Chief Lloyd of licensed saloons for February showing the number to have been 168 was filed.

The report of City Wharfinger Rutherford, showing receipts for February of $611.09 was filed.

The report of City Superintendent of Schools McClymonds was filed.

The report of Treasurer Gilpin for February was filed.

CLAIMS.

The claim of Robert Grant an extra-man of Engine No. 2 for salary during the month of February, 1897, was ordered paid.

The claim of Walsh and Koenig for $150 for land sold to the city as a road to the proposed West Oakland Park was allowed.

The claim of Joseph Court for $150 damages done his stock of shoes at Twelfth and Peralta, by the bursting of a hose used by the sewer flushers, with an accompanying recommendation from the Board of Public Works, was referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

The claim of Webb N. Pearce for $100 as compensation for work done in the City Treasurer's office in 1895 was allowed.

The claim of The Tribune Publishing Company for $55.70 for printing an ordinance ordering the opening of a street through Cemetery Creek Canon was referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

The claim of Stocker & Holland, searchers of records for $400 for compiling an abstract of land on the shores of Lake Merritt was allowed. The following had filed affidavits to the effect that the claim was just: J. K. Peirsol, C. K. Marshall, A. A. Long, Du Ray Smith, R. S. Leckie and C. W. McKeane.

LIQUOR BONDS.

The liquor license bonds of the following were approved: M. Fray & C. Wemmer, 412 Eighth street; O. Streit, 1050 Franklin street; John Coyne, Fifth and Peralta; Manhan & Pedro, 928 East Fourteenth street; John Lynch, 1457 Seventh street; J. J. Carroll, Ninth and Broadway streets; S. Gordon, 1239 Broadway and O. F. Rooney, Oakland Mole.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

The following were granted permission to obtain liquor licenses:

Edward Schaad, 502 Telegraph avenue; John Hartz, 855 Twenty-seventh street; Frank Bieler, 809 East Fourteenth street; C. C. Potter, 1233 San Pablo avenue; P. Kisich, 463 Twelfth street; O. J. Mullen, 920 Washington street; Chas. H. Appledorn 858 Washington street; Manhan & Pedro, 928 East Fourteenth street; John Lynch, 1457 Seventh street; J. J. Carroll, Ninth and Broadway; S. Gordon, 1239 Broadway; O. F. Rooney, Oakland Mole.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Christensen & Montgomery for liquor license bonds at 851 Washington street. License Committee.

From A. T. Schroder et al to sidewalk Kirkham from Fourteenth to Fifteenth streets. Street Committee.

From George T. Hawley et al to grade, etc., Lee street from Vernon to Adams. Street Committee.

From Contra Costa Water Company petitioning for electric light at Water and Webster streets. Street Lighting Committee.

From the Board of Public Works recommending $30 for decorating fire apparatus and for $375 for plans for a park. Tabled.

RAIROAD TAXES.

City Attorney Peirsol reported in regard to the suit of the railraod company against the city for the recovery of taxes paid in '95-6 on property alleged to have been assessed also by the State Board of Equalization, that the outcome of the suit depended upon whether the State Board had the right to assess the roadway and roadbeds of switches, sidetracks and the local tracks, and also whether the correct amount of property had been assessed by the City Assessor. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

OPPOSE ANNEXATION.

A protest against calling the proposed election for the annexation of the outside district of Temescal and Claremont, signed by forty-five property owners, stated that the city was already out $2,500 on such an election and that the petition for the election was illegal. Ordinance and Judiciary.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following bills, reported upon favorably by the Finance Committee, were allowed:

Associated Charities, $150; L. D. Armstrong, $20; C. H. Bayley, $2.50; E. W. Bradley, 65 cents; E. T. Brown, $49; O. Bernstein, $3; J. L. Bromley, $15; G. W. Branch, $14.93; R. H. Chamberlain, $7.75; California Electrical Works, $18.20; A. Carlisle & Co., $293.35; California Paving Co., $7.65; Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Co., 75 cents; S. Davis, $1.50; W. G. Davison, $20; Dalziel & Moller, $3, $1.50, $2.25, 50 cents; H. D. Ellason, $1; Eagle Iron Works, $9.35; W. P. Fuller & Co., $9.60; Mrs. Ella Fisher, $1.50, $1.50; W. B. Greenbaum, $1; Herman Garo, $4.50; Robert Gillmore, $6; Garrett & Taggart, $14.25; F. B. Hetcher, $1.50; C. T. Hampel, $4, $8, $2, $2; Ingram & Co., 75 cents; Jordan Printing Company, $3.98, $15, $1.25; Albert Kayser, $3; G. A. Kirk, $10; F. A. Leach Jr., $5; William Lebrich, $2.25, $2; Stewart Merrill, $20; Mitchell Bros., $10; Theo Meetz, $10, $10; J. J. Michael, $5.50; Walter Meese, $4.50; T. Morine, $40; C. L. Maxwell & Son, 50 cents; L. A. Mitchell, $15; E. Mason, $30; A. McAuley, $5; Oakland Enquirer Publishing Company, $114.25, $84.60, $15, $6.65, $256; Charles F. Out, $25; Oakland Rubber Company, $2.50; Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, $120.20, $121.10, $1.05, $1.05, 17 cents, $115, $5,091.82, $21.17; Pacific Postal Telegraph Company, $4.07; Peterson & Samuels, $18; C. E. Proctor, $27, $36, $48; John A. Roebling's Sons Co., $62.50; J. B. Redding, $8; F. H. Reed, $36, $13.50, $60, $27; Stocker & Holland, $150; Sohst Brothers, $5, $6, $4; Salinger Brothers, $40; O. K. Stampley, $4; J. Shroder, 50 cents; Paul Seiler, $11.55; C. Schreiber, $7.50; Jos. T. Shnader, $10.50; A. W. S. Smith, 75 cents, $4.25; Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company, $5.50, 15 cents, $15, $1.10, 75 cents, 75 cents, 20 cents, $5.20; the Oakland Paving Company, $2.90; E. R. Tutt, $49.80, $1.20, $2.50, $2.95; Tribune Publishing Company, $20, $372.13, $10.36, $12.34, $4.23, $10.91, $36.18, $246.08, $18.50, $10.05, $19.52, $65.18, $14.93, $33.30, $0.18; James P. Taylor, $14.94, $19.06; $2.37; Travers & Leal, $6; Fred Wuescher, $6.50; J. H. Wilson, $4.25; H. L. Weitzel, $184.50; Western Union Telegraph Co., $1.35; S. H. Wilson, $3.25; J. C. Wilson & Co., $3.40, $3.35.

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President A. J. Ralston presided at the quarterly meeting of the Associated Charities which was held at the Asbury M. E. Church last evening.

Superintendent Helen Kelly's report showed that the total number of applications for relief during the quarter from December 1, 1896, was 251. Of this number 50 were new family cases, 77 new single cases, 84 recurrent family cases, and 40 recurrent single cases. The association had referred to the Oakland Benevolent Society 99 family cases and 75 single cases. Many other families and persons had been assisted by referring to other charitable and church societies.

Mrs. Kelly emphasized the evil of indiscriminate alms-giving and explained the aims of the Associated Charities in the following words:

MRS. KELLY'S REPORT.

"One great aim is to give work to those who apply, thus making them feel that they are not dependent, but are earning what they receive. Hence, through the employment bureau work has been found for 50 persons. Three men, 6 women and 3 girls found permanent work, and twenty-five men and 13 women work seventy-two and a quarter days. Out of the 50 employment cards sent out, those returned showed that the sum of $55.50 had been earned for day's work. Two hundred and forty-six meal and 165 lodging tickets were returned by the parties receiving the same from private houses. During the quarter 53 prominent citizens have become members of the Associated Charities.

Persons are requested to refer all able-bodied men asking aid to the wood yard of the charitable organization, and women and children to the general office of the society, room 7, Enquirer building.

WOOD YARD.

The report of J. B. McLeod, manager of the wood yard, showed that for the period from September 21, 1896 to March 20, 1897, the total number of men who have worked in the yard, 1,906; largest number on any day, 27; smallest number on any day, 3; average number per day, 12; total number of meal tickets issued, 2,120; of lodging tickets issued, 42; of grocery orders issued, 65; of cords of wood cut, 101¾; of ferry tickets, 56.

Mayor-elect W. R. Thomas was present and spoke very heartily in favor of the work of the Associated Charities.

Captain Thomas was informed by the president that he was an ex-officio member of the society.

M. J. Keller, chairman of the employment committee, said there was an opportunity of getting employment for men at Mountain View Cemetery at $1.50 per day.

P. M. Taylor, who had been appointed to a committee for investigating the advisability of producing Julius Caesar for the benefit of the organization, reported that with the data he had so far obtained the plan did not look feasible, but asked for further time.

Discussion as to the best method of advertising the society's work was touched upon by Dr. Chapman, Mr. Fish, Mr. McKnight, and President Ralston.

BEHIND THE MASK.

The Ebell Society Is Making Arrangements for a Fine Spectacle.

Oakland society will follow in the wake of societies of larger cities, and will have a bal masque. The ball will surpass the San Francisco Mardi Gras in exclusiveness and will try to excel it in brilliancy.

Reed Hall will be the scene of the festivities, which are set for Tuesday night, April 20th. Who are arranging the affair is a question, for the names of the prime movers are shrouded in mystery. The names of the patronesses appear on the list of the invitations and include ladies from three cities.

The latter are Mrs. A. N. Drown and Mrs. W. F. McNutt of San Francisco, Mrs. John B. Minon, Mrs. Orestes Pierce and Mrs. John R. Glascock of Oakland and Mrs. James Spiers and Mrs. Frank M. Wilson of Berkeley.

Acceptances and refusals of the bal masque are to be sent to mysterious box 200 at the Postoffice, the same box where the acceptance to the Wednesday Night Cotillons found their way. Request for invitations for friends must be directed to the same mysterious address. There will be no admission except by invitation, and everybody on the dancing floor must be masked. Masks must be raised before a committee, which will see to it that no plebeian person enters. Oakland society is excited over the affair, and many are the blissful anticipations of future pleasure.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1897.

Mary Ann Garvey to Thomas Garvey NE Atlantic and Willow sts E 74.3xN 25.7 being lot 1 blk 501, Gibbons' Pty, QCD, $1.

Emma Daignault to Fred M Clark, SW 24th and Myrtle W 50xS 101 being lots 19 and 20 blk 635, Map of Market st lots, $700.

Mabel E Landers to Felix Marcuse and J A Remmel, E Lafayette st 112.6 N Railroad av N 37.6xE 108 blk 33, lds adjct to Encinal, $10.

Adeline L Halsey extr Est Marie L Crummey to Emma E Kriner, W Pearl st 200 N from N line lds now of fmly of Clark and Carpentier W 112.4xN 40 being ptn Hays and Carpentier tract, $500.

Dora E Crockard to William M DeWolf, Lots 5 and 6 blk E, Corrected Map Nicol tract, $10.

Charles P and Amelia Pett to M Mossford, SE 14th st 125 W Bassett st W 25xS 125 being lot 6 Map of Phillips Resub blk 773, Levy tract, subj to mtge, $10.

John C Reis to Fridrich H Steinmetz Lots 42 and 43 blk F, Amended Map Christiania tract, QCD, $10.

Samuel Galbrath to Dora Galbrath, SW Orange st 140 SE Orchard av SW 62.10 NW 140 NE 61.95 SE 140 to beg being lot 73, Marion tract, Gift.

George W and Mrs. G W Walker to C N Palmer, Lot 49 Kingsland tract, QCD, $1.

William J Field Jr admr Estate Mary J Condon to Karl Clundt, All int lot 7 blk 3 Fitchburg Hd lots, Grant.

Susan J and Thomas Houlihan to Marius Poncet, 100.98 acres beg at Station No 34 of Lds of Ex-Mission San Jose at common corner to tract hereby described and Sub B of lands of estate of Joshua Wauhab, th NE 1 ch to stake No 26 th NE 1.50 chs to stake marked No 36, th NE 3.50 chs to stake marked 37 th SE .3 chs to stake marked 38 th following sub D, SE 6.61 chs th following line of sub F, SW 22.32 chs NW 17.30 chs to beg being sub C of lands of Est Joshua Wauhab, $10.

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ONE BRIDGE DESIRED.

The Board of Trade Hears a Report From Its Engineer, Colonel Bridges.

The Park Committee Presents the Result of Its Recent Investigation.

The Board of Trade held its annual meeting Saturday, and the following business was transacted:

Mr. Waters addressed the Board at some length in an interesting manner relative to the effect of the Christian Endeavors to bring to this coast and Oakland a large concourse of representative citizens; also that the 13th day of July had been especially set apart as Oakland's day to entertain the Endeavors. He therefore urged that, as liberal subscriptions would be required from Oakland business men and others in order to properly provide for the guests, it might not be best to also expect cash for the subscriptions for the Fourth of July. After discussion it was moved and seconded that the board meet with the Christian Endeavors, the exposition directors and the merchants' directors Tuesday evening at the Merchants' Exchange rooms, Central Bank building, to consider these matters.

PARK COMMITTEE.

E. C. Sessions, chairman of the park committee, reported as follows:

"Oakland, Cal., March 19, 1897. To the Directors of the Oakland Board of Trade—Gentlemen: Your committee on parks are for various reasons as yet unable to report decisively concerning the project of acquirement of a large park in the suburbs of the city, but hope to be able at a later date to accomplish all that can reasonably be desired or expected.

"In consideration of the subject in its varied aspects we have, however, concluded to make favorable recommendation of what may, very properly be deemed a branch of the same subject, or obsely allied to it.

"There are about twenty acres of tide and overflowed land in the north arm of the estuary lying between Eighth street bridge and Twelfth street dam. This parcel is a portion of the water front property, the ownership of which is in litigation between the City of Oakland and the Oakland Water Front Company.

"The board of engineers in charge of the harbor construction, considering the equities of the matter and the apparent necessity of closer and more frequent communication between East Oakland and the central part of the city, have established as their bulkhead line the south line of Eighth street extended easterly to the easterly shore, thus surrendering the control of all lying northerly of said line of Eighth street and permitting it to be filled in.

"We therefore call attention to the many desirable ends that would be accomplished by the filling in and reclamation of this tide land.

"The economical dredging of Lake Merritt. The filling of the Eighth street bridge, saving the cost of construction. The relieving of the pressure of travel on Eighth street and Twelfth street by the opening up of other avenues. The construction of a park which would remove the unsightly mud flats, formal dedication being made for park purposes, and a plan being adopted now for improvement of the same, to be carried out as fast as funds would permit.

"We therefore recommend that the project be approved by your board and the park committee be instructed to interview the Oakland Water Front Company to ascertain if they will relinquish their claim to said tide lands. Respectfully submitted, Park Committee.

"E. C. SESSIONS, Chairman."

THE BRIDGE.

Col. Lyman Bridges, civil engineer, presented drawings of a bridge across the estuary sixty-two feet wide, which would accommodate all the traffic on the same level of broad and narrow gauge trains, electric cars, wagons and foot passengers. He strongly advocated this method of construction, and showed by drawings that the danger of collisions would be minimized. After considerable discussion it was moved, seconded and carried that the following resolution be adopted:

"Resolved, That in the matter of construction of the bridge across the estuary between Oakland and Alameda, it is the opinion of this board that there should be only one bridge, arranged to accommodate the steam and electric railroads and the carriage and foot travel upon one level, and that it should be at a height above high tide sufficient to allow the small craft to pass under without swinging the draw, say ten feet in the clear."

It was moved, seconded and carried that a committee of three, President J. P. Taylor, E. C. Sessions and M. J. Keller, together with Col. Bridges, present this matter to the Board of Supervisors.

Queen of Sauces—Yorkshire Relish.

EAST AGAINST WEST.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, Mar. 23.—The Westerners who are to compete in the grand all-American handicap have challenged the wing shots of the East for a team race of ten men, each contestant to shoot at fifty first class birds. An entrance fee of $50 will be charged for each man, the birds to be paid for by the loser. The match is likely to take place on Saturday next at Elkwood Park. The Westerners are Charles Grimm, Clear Lake, Ia.; Dr. Carver, Chicago; Chauncey Powers, Decatur, Ill.; "Dick" Merrill and Tom Marshall, Milwaukee; Charles Budd, Des Moines, Ia.; J. A. R. Elliott, Kansas City, Mo.; W. Crosby, Chicago; Fred Gilbert, Spirit Lake, Ia., and Dr. Williamson, Milwaukee, Wis.

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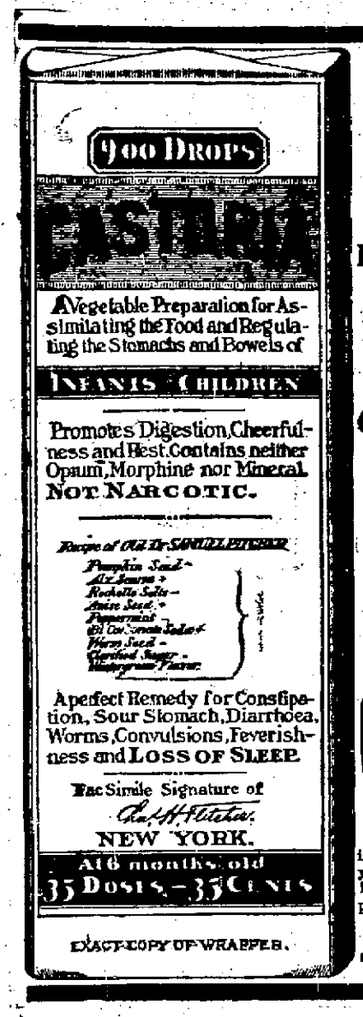

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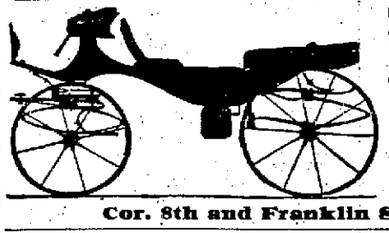

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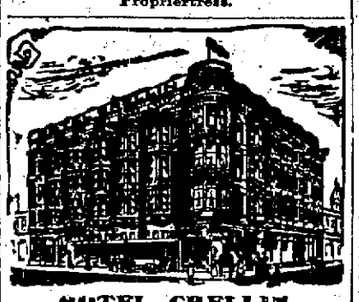

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DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE.

Malthine Manufacturing Company. Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of works, Oakland, California.

Notice—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment (No. 2) levied on the 27th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names.	No. Certificate.	Shares.	Amount. Dls.	Cts.
S. P. Holden	73	500	50	00
S. P. Holden	74	500	50	00
S. P. Holden	75	500	50	00
S. P. Holden	84	500	50	00
S. P. Holden	88	500	50	00
W. B. Ewer	7	5	50	
S. P. Holden	8	5	50	
G. W. Swan	95	50	5	00
G. W. Swan	49	1000	100	00
G. W. Swan	3	450	45	00

And in accordance with law, and an order from the Board of Directors, made on the 27th day of January, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, 206 Sansome street, San Francisco, California, on Saturday, the 20th day of March, 1897, at the hour of twelve o'clock M. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. JOHN BRUCKMAN, Secretary.

Office, 209 Sansome St., San Francisco, California.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Company. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California.

Notice.—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment (No. 6), levied on the 1st day of February, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

Name.	No. of Certificate.	Shares.	Amt.
F. C. Havens	30	6	40 00
F. C. Havens	32	10	80 00
Nat Stein, trustee	81	450	3600 00
W. H. Chickering, trustee	29	750	6000 00

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 1st day of February, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Company, No. 1003¼ Broadway, room 25, Oakland, California, on Saturday, the 27th day of March, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. T. F. SCANLON, Secretary.

Office, 1003¼ Broadway, room 25, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF FILING—Of Report of Commissioners in the matter of the opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon, from 24th street to the northern boundary of the City of Oakland.

City Clerk's Office, Oakland, Cal., March 12th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon from 24th street to the northern boundary of the City of Oakland, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1769, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council on or before the 17th day of April, 1897.

(Seal) J. W. TOMPKINS, Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, March 12th, 1897.

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DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Livermore Water and Power Company. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California. Location of works, Livermore, Alameda County, California.

NOTICE.

There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment No. 1, levied upon the 13th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names.	No. Certificate.	Shares.	Amount.
James Stanley	6	200	$2,000.00
James Stanley	1	666⅔	6,666 66

And in accordance with law and on order of the Board of Directors made on the 13th day of January, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, No. 462 Eighth street, in the City of Oakland, Alameda County, California, on Monday, the first day of March, 1897, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising all expenses of sale.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

Office, 462 Eighth St., Oakland, Cal.

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Company, held at the office of the company, at No. 462 Eighth street, Oakland, held this 25th day of February, A. D. 1897, the above sale was postponed until Thursday, March 11th, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

FURTHER POSTPONEMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Company, held at the office of the company at 462 Eighth st., this 11th day of March, A. D. 1897, the above sale was postponed until Wednesday, March 24, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

FURTHER POSTPONEMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Co., held at the office of the Company at 462 Eighth St., this 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, the above sale was postponed until Monday, March 29, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

PROPOSALS for filling marsh land owned by the City of Oakland.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., Mch 19, 1897.

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1897, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for filling marsh land owned by the City of Oakland, said filling to be done under the direction of the City Engineer. The material used must be sand dredged from the shores of San Francisco Bay, and must be free from all foreign material. Said filling shall be commenced within ten days and be completed within one hundred and twenty days after entering into contract for said filling. The said filling is to be done on that portion of the West Oakland marsh bought from Koenig and Walsh, by the City of Oakland, also a portion of the streets fronting said party. Bidders will state in proposals the total amount for which they will complete the above described work.

All work done and material furnished to be subject to the approval of the City Engineer and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within 10 days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $1,000.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.
N. W. SPAULDING JR., Secretary.

Resolution No. 22,778 Ordering the Work.—Resolved, That the public interest and convenience require the work herein described, and the Council of the City of Oakland hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the plans and specifications therefor filed by the City Engineer with the City Clerk on the first day of March, A. D. 1897, to-wit:

That East Twelfth street in said city, between the sewer in 1st avenue and 11th avenue, be sewered on each side with an 8 inch vitrified ironstone pipe sewer as follows: From the sewer in 1st avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 4th avenue; from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 4th avenue to the sewer in 5th avenue; from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 5th avenue to the sewer in 6th avenue; from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 7th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 9th avenue; from the sewer in 9th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 10th avenue; from the sewer in 10th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 11th avenue, and that 20 Y branches of 8 inch opening and 180 Y branches of 6 inch opening be constructed thereon; also a brick manhole be constructed thereon at each of the following points: At the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 2nd avenue; at the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 3rd avenue; at the northeastern side of the crossing of 5th avenue; at the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 6th avenue; at the northeastern side of the crossing of 8th avenue; at the northeastern side of the crossing of 9th avenue; at the northeastern side of the crossing of 10th avenue. Also that a lamphole be constructed thereon on each side of East 12th street at each of the following points: At 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 4th avenue; at 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 5th avenue; at 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 7th avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 9th avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 10th avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 11th avenue. Also that gratings with conduit pipe 8 inches diameter be constructed thereon on each side of East 12th street at each of the following points: At 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 1st avenue; at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 2nd avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 4th avenue; at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 5th avenue; at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 6th avenue; at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 8th avenue; at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 8th avenue; at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 9th avenue; at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 10th avenue; also that a grating with 8 inch conduit pipe be constructed on each side of East 12th street at points 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 7th avenue and connected with the sewer in 7th avenue. Also that 2 brick catchbasins with 10 inch conduit pipe be constructed at points 2 feet southwesterly from the northeastern line of East 12th street in each of the following street crossings, to-wit: 4th avenue, 5th avenue, 6th avenue, 7th avenue, 8th avenue, 9th avenue and 10th avenue.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to publish this Resolution for two days, and notice of said work inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the work and referring to the plans and specifications posted or on file, also for two days, both in the Oakland Tribune, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, hereby designated for that purpose. Said notice shall require a certified check or a bond, either as prescribed by law, and for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal. He is also directed to post said notice with plans and specifications conspicuously for five days on or near the Council Chamber door.

Adopted Mar. 9th, 1897.
Oakland, Mar. 23rd, 1897.
J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1896.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1896.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1896, on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1896, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, IN THE YEAR 1896,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said County, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1897, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda County for the year 1896 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda County, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1897, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1897,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1896, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1896,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 20th day of October, 1896.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15, 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County, Oakland, California.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand. Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County, Oakland, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary C. Dalziel, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary C. Dalziel, deceased, and for the issuance to Carrie From Snyder of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, March 11th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CALDWELL, Deputy Clerk.
NYE & KINSELL, Att'ys for Pet., Oakland, Cal.

TRIBUTES TO ALMA MATER.

Citizens, Students, Graduates, Professors Unite in Honoring the University of California on the Return of Charter Day.

GREAT ENTHUSIASM PREVAILS

Twenty-Nine Mile Stones in the Life of the Great Institution.

J. A. ELSTON FOR THE STUDENTS

Gems of Eloquence by W. R. Davis and Professor Joe Le Conte.

The weather god was kind to the University students today and gave them perfect weather for the celebration of the twenty-ninth anniversary of the founding of an institution which was destined to be the seat of learning in the far West. Not a breath of wind disturbed the soft blandness of the air and it was with many lingering glances at the blue, blue bay and the green hills, that the crowd slowly assembled in Harmon Gymnasium.

There was an attempt at decorating the large cold walls of the gymnasium. Enthusiasm was supposed to cast a weary glamour over the bareness and coldness.

The rostrum where the brainy men of the faculty and the speakers sat, had a hedge of palms and dark blue flowers, out of which the stars and stripes and University colors rose triumphantly.

At a quarter of eleven, the students orchestra, under the leadership of C. C. Davis, tuned their instruments and "La Fiesta March" drowned the murmur of voices.

President Kellog, in the robe of a scholar, entered, accompanied by J. Arthur Elston, who as president of the Associated Students, would assist in the ceremonies. Professor Joseph Le Conte, frail, nervous and restless, sat on the right of President Kellogg. Hon. J. West Martin, Colonel George Edwards, Hon. W. R. Davis, Regent Halliday, Professor Madley, Professor Merrill and Professor Brown.

Occupying prominent places in the audience were Professor and Mrs. Howison, Professor and Mrs. Ardly, Dr. Stratton, Mrs. Le Conte, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Merrill, Professor and Mrs. Rowell, R. D. Yelland, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pierce, Professor Lange, Dr. Babcock, Professor and Mrs. Jones.

The morning exercises were formal, scholarly, classic and thoroughly appropriate. The speeches were applauded and the University musicians were also commended for their excellent playing.

They opened with an overture after which President Kellogg delivered a short address in assuming the chair.

THE STUDENT BODY.

Eloquent Presentation of the Subject by Arthur Elston.

J. Arthur Elston, president of the Associated Students, was then introduced, amidst much applause from his fellow students.

"To speak of the student body," he said, "is to use a trite, worn-out phrase, yet this term designates the true nature of our community of students, which is in truth analogous to the complex life of the human body. It has its physical, intellectual, and spiritual aspects, and, as with the human body, so with the student body,—not in all particulars, but yet a developing, a-ripening into a more complex organization into more mature ways of life.

"Having once adopted an analogy of this sort, there is danger of pressing it too far. Here the University of California, off to itself, and not at the edge of a large center of population, there is no question that its student community would have more marks of a distinct reasoning organism. In treating it, conditioned by such surroundings, the analogy I have prepared would carry farther.

A SHORT LIFE.

"To begin with, the most external and manifest aspect, any one can discern wherein the student body may be said to have a physical life, the term being intended to include social traits of a animal nature. We can tell whether the life is ardent, vigorous, electric,—whether it forms a sound foundation for the intellectual and moral activities to build upon; or whether it is dull, stupid, unresponsive, on the one hand, or feverish and sporadically active on the other. Even a student community situated like ours can be placed approximately at least under one or the other of these extremes of physical life. The University of California has had comparatively such a short life that the student body nurtured by it has not much, more than attained its youth. Consequently, it could not be otherwise than natural that it should, at times, manifest the friskiness and freakiness of youth; that it should occupy itself more with external and material concerns, than with the ideal interests of life. It cannot be denied, too, that its life has been so rapid as to render co-ordination and unity of constituent elements incomplete, and as a result, its movements should at times be sluggish and at variance. As a body, it has hardly reached the stage of self-conscious reflection, of thoughtful inquiry into the ideal significance of its existence.

"PLACE OF THE STUDENT BODY. It will not be well, however, for one to examine too closely into the place of the student body in this scale of development. It is a question whether one who is a part of its blood and bone is able to estimate with any degree of correctness. To one whose judgment is thus circumscribed, it appears that the intellectual activities of this body are just coming into freer play, are working into fuller recognition. The marked increase of interest taken in debating the establishment of new student periodicals, the higher intellectual standards in general which we are working by—all these tell which way the current is setting. It will not do, however, to crystalize at this stage. It will not do for this movement to grow into an undue exaltation of the intellectual, as it might tend to do if with the growth of the physical and intellectual bases, there is not suffered to grow that principle which regulates the other two—which adjusts their conflicting claims and renders them subservient to a student life quick with fellow-feeling, with altruistic impulse—a student life of high moral purpose, conscious of its meaning and knowing its responsibilities. When this outgoing, self-renouncing principle is alive, the strivings of the other two are worth while; when it is choked out, their labors are unprofitable and without real significance.

CO-ORDINATE ACTIVITY.

"As this co-ordinating activity is the flower of the evolution of the student body, there can not be found more than its tinniest buddings in the life we are considering. It would be unreasonable for us to demand more at this early stage. There have been attempts to force out the flower by artificial means, which, for a while, would seem to promise success; but, in the end, the student organism has invariably reverted to its normal ways of developing. The flower is the ultima thule and is bound to come at the proper time. It may not come to have just the structure wished for and expected by Philistine reformers; its hue may be different from the traditional orthodox; it may not spread its petals to one luminary alone, choosing rather to be warmed and gladdened by the whole system of lights that crowd the sky—but if it come by its natural course, it cannot help but be sound, wholesome and good.

ASSORT THE CHARMS.

"The grand object of those in the student body who have the spiritual insight to view as a whole the life they participate in should be to assert the claims of this highest principle, to exemplify it to their fellows. It is upon them to help speed the time when earnestness, seriousness, dignity will be ruling qualities in the student body; not at all, however, to the exclusion of a hearty, spontaneous physical and intellectual life.

A BLOW AT BOURDON.

"It is upon these same persons to build up a bar of student opinion that shall effectually shame and discredit immoral excesses or dishonorable dealings among the members of the student body, to discourage such senseless extravagances as the Bourdon celebration has come to be. Tumultuous clashings of this kind may have some little influence in promoting fellow feeling; the athletic and debating contests in a greater degree make for the same end; what is wanted above all, these, however, is the firm, true fellowship springing out of a common recognition of the ideal meaning of our community life, out of a sincere and intelligent love for our university.

GREAT NAMES ON THE ROLL.

"What better time to realize the imperative quality of these ideals than on this Charter Day—a day commanding a fuller and more far-reaching retrospect and prospect than any that have gone before it. With the events which have filled our minds so much of late still vivid, would it not make for a clearer appreciation of their immense meaning for the future for us to turn our eyes to the past, to find out the early history of our university, to know what great names were identified with her early struggles, what labors and what sacrifices were endured for her preservation, what a wonderful expansion she has gone through in the last decade! Until these things are known, there cannot be that intelligent and sympathetic concern for her welfare which should be the controlling thought and the highest principle of unity in the higher life of the student body."

FOR THE GRADUATES.

The Older Students Were Well Represented by W. R. Davis.

W. R. Davis of this city was then received with cheers and spoke as follows on behalf of the alumni, of whom he is the president:

"One of the sons of the University, I take today the point of view of an observer. This does not mean fading of the old devotion, but acquiring a newer and broader one. Views from the interior are apt to be academic or partial; from the exterior you get the better perspective and unity. For the time being let us all turn observers—Regents, faculty, students and alumni alike. From the observer's point of view we see the University of California in three aspects—First, in time; second, in its scope; third, in the State.

STAGES OF PROGRESS.

"In time it has six stages. The conception of Durant, Kellogg, and the faithful band of forerunners who from the beginning foresaw and proclaimed in the wilderness that civilization is greater than gain. The next stage was reached in 1868 when the State founded the University, in law by the act of March 23, 1868. That is the day we celebrate. The third stage was the embodying of the University in the constitution in 1879 as a part of the organization and life of the State. The will of the sovereign was there fixed. The fourth stage was the passage of the perpetual tax act of 1889—the turning of special acts of appropriation to the fixed purpose of perpetual support. The fifth, now upon us, is the building era. Private generosity and fixed governmental policy have already determined that the visible home of the University of California shall rise and endure upon this perfect landscape of the great invisible. University which is to dwell here without end. And the sixth stage in time is the passage of the act of 1897 by which the policy of permanent support is enlarged into adequate as well as permanent support. These six stages denote embodyment and demonstrate growth. First, it was a conception, some thought it a dream; then it was a statute; then it was granite in the constitution; then continuous support; then munificent private endowment and upbuilding, and now adequate perpetual governmental maintenance. In all this the University must not be viewed as disconnected. That view loses its greatest significance. Down these stages of time the University is being evolved, developed, maintained as part of a system of free governmental schools, the crown and consummation of that free system. The people along the verge of the continent, who do that, grow. We do not need to look to antiquity for perspective; here is sufficient perspective disclosing the growth of a great idea into a great system of our own people.

TEACHES THE WORLD A LESSON.

"The taking of the young of the nation in their teens and God-speeding them into the world equipped citizens in their twenties, has never before been done in the course of the world. This thought, this system, this modern achievement in a republic is nothing less than teaching antiquity, medieval empires and the race itself how to uplift men. Thus, in its own time, the University of California has six stages, and, looking at time, this modern achievement in the American Republic not only teaches this generation and others yet unborn, but also throws its light backward, revealing that the stream of time itself flows upward, not downward, as it flows on. The books are full of terrestrial gravitation, but there is a celestial gravitation, too. That a stream ascends as it flows on is a picture, but it is true. The stream of time never bore man so high.

PROGRESS INCREASES RESPONSIBILITY.

"Young men and young women, how this comparative view of time exalts your opportunities and your duties. No man who has that mettle in him, which the celestial gravitation can take hold of, can see this day, this site and this University, visible and invisible, without resolving anew, I will not live and die in apathy, I'll be a man. If you have ever felt lack of unity in this body of 1500 favored sons and daughters of opportunity, be that unity, be one tomorrow. If it is not in the books it is in the case. If you have heard no chorus of a thousand voices here, begin tomorrow to sing the praises of your alma mater and the themes of your student life. If that is not in the books, it is in the case.

"If you have missed the filial spirit here that true sons ought to have, if it has seemed a multitude of mothers as of a multitude of men, arise tomorrow, every one a true son of our one mother, the University of California. If this is not in the books it is in the case.

"Intelligence is not intellect. One is valley, the other mountain side. There is no station so respectable as the respectability of learning—no brotherhood so honorable, no sonship so exalted. When I think how toilers work and owners throughout this commonwealth pay to maintain this system and this its consummation and crown, whether their sons and daughters drink of this spring or not, and think of yesterday's unanimity of this verge people in your behalf and mine and ours after us, I feel blood coursing afresh as young as yours, my lads, for the one mother of us all and for her exalted triumphs and uplifting destiny. Is there any sonship in us, any brotherhood between us, any manhood worthy of us, less than this? To hold less than this is to hold less than fills a man.

SCOPE OF THE UNIVERSITY.

"I have said thus much, viewing the University in time. Let us now view it in its scope. Every person here knows that the word 'university' means the many turned into one—many departments and colleges in one comprehensive institution; but mark you, this does not mean all turned into one. The King of Spain granted this ground upon which we stand to one of his grantees, Peralta. The boundary was by creeks, the saw-teeth top of the Coast Range and the bay of San Francisco. Other grants were likewise made to other favored grantees with boundaries in like general terms. Still others were made in large tracts measured by leagues and defined by groves and forests.

"When the loosely specified grants were made there might be, and there was, an overplus, and this overplus was granted to still another grantee. This is the Sobrante,—the overplus. Every university, however great, has its sobrante. The departments and colleges cover certain defined limits of human learning and research corresponding to the King's grants. But between these departments and outside of all of them is the overplus and sobrante of human life, human research and human experience.

"Let not one deceive himself with the belief that his mastery or dominion over his grant, his specialty, his department, is the ownership of the earth.

"There is the other grant, and the others over yonder, the other departments with spaces between him and them and between all of them, while around and beyond them all extends this sobrante of human life and experience.

DANGER OF CONSERVATISM.

"Sometimes it almost seems that the specialist in his specialty is set like an automaton in his groove, moving up and down the landscape of existence, but unable to get out of his groove and travel crosswise. Many a man has narrowed his life and shriveled his personality to insignificance by a ceaseless travel in his slot. This may sometimes be a necessity, but it is always to him a misfortune. His specialty may be widened a trifle by him, but his personality is pinched in the process. Besides, mastery of details is not mastery of unities. Here is a great painting, so much genius transferred to canvas. It has so many square feet and so many square inches upon its surface. Now comes the man of details and with his knife cuts it into strips and checks an inch square and examines each square inch with his special eye, his microscope, and when he has done he boasts that he has examined the painting so minutely that he knows more about it than any person who viewed it with the natural eye only. This is the folly of self-centered wisdom. To him the genius of unity in art, the genius of art itself, is an unknown sobrante—an overplus without his own specialty, apart from and above his groove. If not a small teacher he is a small influence among men. A great specialist may be a little personality.

MAN IS LIKE A VINE.

"There is a vineyard, one man goes into it and stoops down to examine this vine critically and then that and another. He dissects its foliage, tests its sap, examines its roots and goes away informed in the minutes detail as to the soil, the phylloxera and the failure of the crop; but he hasn't seen the vineyard yet. He is a master of details, but unity is master of him. Another man overlooks the vineyard as one vineyard. He sees the picture, the unity, the body of this vernal map of industry planted in the landscape. This is sobrante again, the overplus in nature and in life, lost to the mere master of details.

"I do not underestimate the necessities nor the utilities nor that exactitude is indispensable in all material and intellectual pursuits. This goes without saying, boys know it. But boys of either youthful or adult years do not know of the sobrantes, the spaces between departments and the overplus of human understanding in the unities and in the relations of the departments of human learning to one another and of that true and upper overplus which is in life but not in classified learning. Our classified departmental learning runs endwise, forward.

"Each department veers off as it advances. The student when he begins is a unit of purpose, an imperfect personality, but still, one stream, large or small, his own individuality. Presently he is subdivided into a half-dozen channels, mathematics one, chemistry another, mechanics another; and so on, until his singleness has become multifarious.

"He has gained detail perhaps there and there, but he may have lost unity of purpose and of self with its power and influence among men for which there is no substitute, a power sobrante in terms of all the departments. Some personalities become so divided and subdivided by the pursuit of various departmental undertakings in college that the stream of personal unity and force becomes spray, and they leave college more helpless than they entered it.

HOW NOT TO FAIL.

"These swell the ranks of college failures. Somehow we must gather these subdivision ditches together, prevent this spray and turn the student out the one stream that he was before departmental subdivision, but with accelerated and deepened current. He must be taught here to travel crosswise, to think over and across departments, to understand relations as well as directions. It is late, often too late, to leave this lesson to be taught to him in a fiercer world outside. He has before him a world of men and men's affairs, their struggles, prejudices, selfishness, intrigues, ambitions, power, theirs whose hands are against his hands—it is not specialists he is to meet, nor helping hands, but men as they are, combatants, and the world as it is, warfare. To college life this is sobrante. He will not get even a hearing in that outer world unless he first earns it. People there do not have to come into a room, and, under some penalty, listen, tolerate and concur, however dilute, droning or tomish the deliverance may be. He must know relations, other men's standpoints, prejudices and affiliations, parties, classes, laws, art, literature, history, and that history that is not yet written, the today of his own generation. It will be too late for him when it becomes what is called history. This is more sobrante outside the departments.

"It is not all understanding that requires exact premises.

VALUE OF JUDGMENT.

"There is a certainty, notwithstanding elasticity. Mount Shasta is heavier than the dome of the Capitol at Sacramento. The quantitative specialist asks, Do you know the weight of Mount Shasta? No. Do you know the weight of the dome? No. Then how do you know that Shasta is heavier than the dome? Yet we know it as well as if we knew the exact weight of the mountainous peak, and of its effigy. The understanding understands without stopping to get into the quantitative details. It is a question of unities and relations. Intelligence is not intellect, and reasoning from ascertained premises is not all of understanding. Love, hate and prejudice are facts as well as reason. Every understanding recognizes them, three great powers in the world, not one amenable to reason, not one a departmental subject—sobrante in life as real though unmeasured and unmeasurable as is measured granite. Take directness, forthrightness. The world has yet to see a college or university that internally illustrates directness of attack. The academic is graceful but it tiptoes. The world's gait is heel and toe. The world's forthrightness and broadsides are not academic. This power too is sobrante. Many an involved pile of academic serpents is only one plain case of snake when you untangle him and straighten him out.

"You have already been asking yourselves what will you call this unclassified field?

THE X-RAY OF KNOWLEDGE.

"It does not matter. Call it as you do the unsolved ray, the X-ray. It is not unknown or non-existent because unsolved or unclassified. The sobrante, the overplus is there—it is in life's case, in human experience and must be brought by teachers of men more and more within that human knowledge which is learned without paying the price of so many lives of failure. What an educator he will be who shall master and teach to others more and more of the sobrante outlying the departments, the X-knowledge of human experience and life.

"Man has advanced and is advancing steadily upon nature and ascertaining what she is and how her laws operate. Philosophy has advanced and is advancing upon the mental constitution and the laws of its operation. These and similar advances have given rise to classified departments of human learning with which the colleges and university are familiar. But there is another how as yet undeveloped and unclassified, but not unteachable—the how a man shall pursue details, acquire learning and appropriate culture, without subdividing his personality into the weakness of multifariousness and without pinching the man out of him to make a detail specialist, and how to get out of his rut and think crosswise to other subjects and departments, the how to give him scope of vision as well as intensity, the how to teach him unities, perspective and relations between businesses, human situations, himself and his fellows, the how to be forthright though a man of the schools, the how to reach others, to earn a hearing, to convince, persuade and move his fellows in his generation, the civilization in which he lives, the how to strengthen and perpetuate human force in human affairs.

DUTY OF THE UNIVERSITY.

"Work like this lies in the sobrante and it is the duty and mission of the University of California to perform its part in making unsolved X-knowledge more and more a part of human research, learning and acquisition.

"The last view of the observer is that of the University in the State. What is the State? It does not consist of lands or property or products, nor of commerce by land or sea, nor of wealth. All these are necessary to the State but they do not constitute the State. They are but landscape, food or raiment—the site and the means of a commonwealth, not the commonwealth itself. Man is the State. He does not exist for it, but it for him. All schools, the University itself, are but an agency in the State. What the State and private munificence place here are not given as to an end but as to an instrumentality. What goes in as money is to come out as character in men and women. What goes in as aid to learning is to come out as strength to the commonwealth. The perpetuity of learning is assured in the world. The burning of an Alexandrian library does not now mean the extinguishment of learning. But the perpetuity of liberty, of the equality of man's rights and opportunities with his fellow man, the perpetuity of constitutional freedom here and of its erection and maintenance elsewhere are not assured.

KNOWLEDGE AND FREEDOM.

"The chiefest duty of the world is not learning for knowledge's sake, but knowledge for freedom's sake—that freedom which makes way and preserves opportunity for the humblest human being to pursue happiness and his own betterment and expansion without molestation of the crushing power of impotentates, of fanaticism, of majorities, of wealth or of any other human thing. It is in this liberty that learning has its being. And to this liberty all learning and all culture owe the allegiance of unshakeable fidelity and patriotic devotion. Angles and rock in character and citizenship the State wants, civilization wants, in return for founding, for establishment, for maintenance, for the gift of knowledge and culture to her sons. There is an understanding by detail, which creeps inch by inch, but there is another understanding which travels by wing. It sees in perspective, it deals with unities; it grasps relations; it deepens and accelerates the current of personality; it conquers to set free; it pushes conquest to uplift and uplifts to push on the outposts of man's great freedom. Let us make no mistake; it is the State, the commonwealth, that is the end, not the schools of this or any land; it is man that is the end, not science nor philosophy; it is the uplift of the race that is the end, not human knowledge.

Music was then rendered.

IDEAL UNIVERSITY.

A Very Instructive Address by Professor Joseph Le Conte.

Professor Joseph Le Conte spoke in behalf of the faculties. As the aged professor, so dear to every student's heart, rose to speak a storm of applause burst from the audience.

For his subject the Professor had chosen "The True Ideal of a Great University."

"I assume," he said, "that the aim and end of all education is preparation for worthy life, and of university education, for the noblest life.

"It must first lift the recipient to a high intellectual plane, and then prepare him for efficient activity in that plane. It is well to keep these two functions distinct in the mind. In a word, it is its function to prepare for leadership in the world of thought and in the world of action. In the broadest sense, there are three sides of our intellectual nature which must be equally cultivated, each supplementary to the other two and altogether constituting a complete and symmetrical culture, and each preparing for some group of pursuits in active life. These are the science course, the art course, and the philosophy course.

THE COURSES.

"The science course begins with mathematics and passes upward to the science of sociology, to which all others are subsidiary.

"The art course commences with languages and passes upwards to sociology.

"The philosophy course commences with logic and passes upward and connects with the all-embracing subject of sociology.

"All three converge as they rise upwards, meeting on the lofty plane of sociology and together from the beautiful triune arch of perfect culture.

"Each of these has its own characteristic function in an organized scheme. Each is perfect in itself, but all are more perfect in their union.

"The characteristic function of the science course is a cultivation of a love of truth for its own sake, as the very aliment on which the mind lives and grows, a reverential worship of truth as the image of God in the human reason; of the philosophy course, to give intellectual activity and enthusiasm, by virtue of the nobleness of its subjects and, at the same time, skill, dexterity, and kindness by virtue of the subtleness of the phenomena with which it deals; of the language-art course, to sensible embodiment of our inner states in beautiful forms of speech, writing, painting, sculpture, music; in a word, of incarnating the human spirit.

COURSES UPHELD.

"These three are of co-ordinate value. The language-art course is accused by some of being of no practical use. Language is as characteristic of man as is reason. Our best thoughts, feelings, imaginings, die heart-stifled unless poured fourth in appropriate expression.

"The distinctive function of the university is, primarily, preparation for active life—not a lifting to a high intellectual plane, but, being thus lifted, to prepare for efficient activity on that plane. The university is the beautiful cluster of the fruit-bearing branches of the educational tree. In our American institutions the university proper is embodied in the post-graduate courses.

"From these three groups the professions of law, medicine and theology are evolved. These professions have been greatly expanded, the scientific so as to include besides the medical, scientific profession, as engineering, practical chemistry, scientific agriculture, the language-art, besides the legal profession, journalism, letters and politics; the philosophy, besides the clerical professions, also law, letters, and politics."

The speaker then touched on the necessity of the continuation of the educational course beyond the college.

SPECIAL CULTURE.

"General culture," he said, "carried into the university, fits for the highest profession, that of a scholar and thinker. But the increase of knowledge in every department has made special culture necessary. The three traditional professions—of law, theology, and medicine—no longer stand alone. Journalism and politics must be added and should be prepared for in the university. They require as high and as varied culture. General culture is no longer enough. In addition to general culture and that must remain the trunk and nourishing mother of all, a special course should be added. Many will object that this savours of trade. It is true, but united, the special and general culture would act and react to the benefit of both.

"Special courses must be preceded by a liberal general course. Hence, the former must be a post-graduate course. Hence, there should be in the upper class a commencing specialization for the completive separation in the graduate courses.

POPULAR ERRORS.

"There are two opposite errors popularly conceived in regard to the university. First, that it gives naught but general culture; second, that it is a collection of practical schools. The first is traditional, the second recent, and a direct outgrowth of the short-sighted materialism of the age. Fortunately, it has not yet been embodied in any respectable institution.

"I have said that the true idea is not yet realized in any country."

The speaker then showed that the English system falls short of the ideal, being imbedded in the structure of English society, and almost incapable of radical reform. The English university is a finishing school for young noblemen and does not prepare for active life.

GERMAN SYSTEM.

The German system is the ideal of the English. Yet it is hampered by aristocratic and medieval traditions, but still remarkable for enthusiasm for learning and intellectual activity. Its aim is the preparation of the scholar.

"The American university has two distinctive features—a close union of the college and university; (2) the full recognition of the professional schools. It recognizes that the university is to prepare for all the higher pursuits of life. The college part is modelled from the English, the university part from the German system.

"The trouble in American universities is that the rush for practical life is so urgent that there is tendency to crowd back professional courses into under-graduate courses.

"But these defects, I believe, are defects rather of idea than of development, and will disappear with growth. It is my belief that the American university is farther on the straight and narrow road towards perfection than any other.

OBJECTIONS ANSWERED.

"I now wish to answer some popular objections to the university. I have no doubt that the transformation of the university is due primarily to the birth and rapid growth of modern science, not yet completed, and which, many fear, may go too far. The scientific method has invaded every department. It has caused a vague dread in conservative and religious minds of the final result on education and society. The danger-cry found utterance in Professor Woodrow Wilson's address at the recent sesqui-centennial celebration of Princeton. I fully sympathize with Professor Wilson's views, but I see clearly that the cure of the disease, if it be a disease, must come from science itself.

PROGRESS OF SCIENCE.

"The progress of science has been so rapid, there has been no time for digestion, and assimilation, and incorporation into one essential human nature. Science as yet is a storehouse; not yet arranged according to the highest law. It must disappear as an external possession and reappear as character and spiritual power.

"Society reformers say, 'Let the dead past bury their dead.' They would destroy all the old in art, in religion, in social organization.

"My answer: Vanity, boastfulness, extravagant hopes that science will change all is not entertained by real scientific minds, but by pseude-scientific minds. It is the effect of scientific facts on unscientific minds.

TRANSITIONAL STATE.

"It is often said that we are in a transitional state between the old and the new, and that transitional stages are dangerous. Doubtless to weak minds knowledge is dangerous. But the only cure is more and more knowledge. With the increase of science we always will be in a transitional state. The only cure is a rational spirit, which recognizes and accepts eternal change by evolution as law.

NEW LAW

"The introduction of a new law, as the law of gravitation or evolution, necessitates a complete readjustment of our mental furniture, dogmas and creeds and customs harden like shells about us and must, time and again, be thrown off. But will this always go on? Must not the time come when rational philosophy shall prevail? A rational spirit is the only cure, and this spirit is attained only by complete apprehension of the law of evolution.

"Professor Wilson said, 'Science breaks with the past.' Evolution cannot break with the past. Its very definition is growth, a growth of the present. The foundation of the principle of evolution is laid on the laws of nature which are the laws of God.

EVOLUTION AND NATIONALITY.

"In conclusion I will say that nothing tends to a rational spirit as the idea of evolution. It breaks down all hard and fast lines and institutes only gradations. It forbids sudden creations, teaches eternal growth. It teaches the spirit of tolerance both in religion and in politics.

"When belief and principle of action are vivified by reason and become a common heritage of humanity then shall we all rise to a higher plane of religious thought. Science has come, not to destroy, but to verify, to use the best, to direct our faith and aspirations, and to purify and ennoble both art and religion."

IN THE FORUM.

Debate to Be Held by Young Men in Leading High Schools.

The debating contest between the Senior Debating Society of the Oakland High School and the Berkeley High School has been set for the 14th or 17th of May. The preliminaries will be held Thursday and Friday this week. Out of the twelve entries for these, three will be selected from each preliminary debate, and in a final debate after vacation the three will be chosen who are to contest. The following boys have entered their names: Ralph Fisher, Fred Roseberry, Will Stewart, Jewett Earle, Charles Anderson, Ben Reed, Thomas Kilkenny, Lawrence Greene, Walter Frickstad, W. B. Londe, Winfield Dorn and Clarence Creed.

The Oakland High School gymnasium has been selected for the field of battle. The subject is: "Resolved, That a system of popular legislation through the initiative and referendum should be adopted in California."

BUT FEW OPPONENTS.

Only Forty-Five Names to the Petition Opposing Annexation.

The many friends of the annexation movement, were rather surprised at the protest filed with the City Council last evening. The opponents of annexation have been claiming that when the petition for annexation was presented to the Council, that they would meet it with a counter petition signed by over 600 voters in the district proposed to be annexed.

The protest was filed last evening, but instead of 600 signers being on it, there was about 45 names. This is said to be just about the size of the opposition and the friends of the movement for a greater Oakland feel very much encouraged.

Many of those who at first were opposed to annexation, now that they have looked into the matter and find that no street work can be done, are working hard for annexation. A special and important meeting of the committee in charge will be held on Wednesday evening at the office of the secretary, 463 Ninth street, to hear the reports from canvasers and to consider the protest.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

AN ELECTION WAGER.

Jim Kennedy of Company F was wheeled up Broadway last night in a barrow by young Morine. It was the paying of a bet on the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill.

Baby buggies, parasol tops, $7.50 at Meese's 1009-1011 Washington street.

Water Front Notes.

The schooner Norfolk which has been discharging lumber for the Eagle Box Factory, Kendall & Company and the Washington Lumber Company left yesterday for San Francisco.

The Bark John Potter is discharging coal for Taylor & Company.

The schooner Anne Jackson is discharging lumber for the Pacific Lumber Company.

Millions of bottles Yorkshire Relish sold annually.

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

ARE WOMEN REALLY WEAK

And if so, Is There Any Excuse for Remaining So?

"I feel sad every time I see a woman." The above remark was made to the writer by one of the oldest and most prominent physicians in New York.

"Is it possible that you are a woman hater, doctor?"

"Not at all; but I have seen so much suffering, so many women who are miserable, that I cannot help feeling sorry for them all. How many ladies do you know that are perfectly well and healthy? How many enjoy life as they should? Is this not enough to make one feel sorrowful?"

"There must be a cause for all this, doctor."

"There is. When a woman is weak, she requires strength. All her functions must be put in a healthy condition. Nothing does this so easily and surely as pure spirits taken in moderation, either before meals or between meals. I know scores of ladies that are kept in perfect health and brilliancy by the judicious use of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. Many of these ladies are wives of professional men, and most of them are temperance women. They realize that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey furnishes the best and only positive help, and they are intelligent enough to profit by such knowledge. The best temperance people of today are the ones who use pure spirits in moderation, and find that strength, vigor, color and brightness are the results."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Myrtle Agard is the guest of Mrs. C. J. Giddings of Visalia.

Miss Mae Johnson is visiting relatives at Fresno.

Mrs. James Thompson is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh Sinclair, of North Yakima, Washington.

Mrs. J. L. Whitmore is the guest of Mrs. Dr. King of Chico.

Mrs. Robert Beck is the guest of Mrs. John W. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blackman gave a small dinner party last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Henshaw are the guests of Mrs. Sidney Cawston of Portland.

Erastus Bartlett of 1018 Sixth avenue has returned from San Diego, where he has been visiting his daughter for the past four months.

This evening at Loring Hall a social will be given which will conclude with a dance. Professor Richard Young, a San Francisco violinist, the Ideal Banjo Club and Caro True Boardman's class of children dancers will appear on the programme.

Mrs. E. L. Hutchinson, the sister of H. M. Sanborn, left several days ago for the Southern part of the State, where she intends traveling for the benefit of her health. She will be gone about a month, and during that time will visit Catalina Island, Redondo Beach, Riverside, and take an ascent up Mt. Lowe.

Miss Martha Snow and her mother of Alameda leave for New York Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Walker and Mr. and Mrs. John Costigan and daughter of San Francisco will spend the summer in East Oakland.

Miss Costigan of San Francisco has been visiting Miss Alice Downing.

Misses Alice and Mabel Manning of San Francisco are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Davis of Fruitvale.

The Ruskin Club of Berkeley is planning a reception to be given to the Rev. Dr. William R. Alger, the new Unitarian pastor.

Mrs. M. Folts and two children of Alameda left for Boston Sunday to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Blanche Morris has returned to St. Helena after a visit with her folks in Berkeley.

Harry Rosecker of Alameda has returned from a trip to the Hawaiian Islands, New York and the East.

William E. Gardner of Temescal and Miss Rose Maroff of Peralta were married last Tuesday at the home of the pastor of the Park Congregational Church, Rev. E. Lyman Hood officiating.

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

Spring millinery opening March 18th, 19th and 20th. Miss Williams, 1261 Broadway.

TENNIS REVIVAL.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, Mar. 23.—The schedule of the National Lawn Tennis Association has been issued, and from its length it is apparent that the interest in the game is as great and general as at any time in the past. State championships appear to be on the increase; and the inter-State scholastic movement continues to grow in importance. The assignment of a new championship, to be known as the Metropolitan championship, to the West Side Tennis Club of New York City, will do much to encourage the game in that city.

The Eastern doubles have been awarded to Longwood.

A very important change this year is the alteration of the rules for handicapping, so that the one-sixth of fifteen system will be used. This system is approved by the English players, and, as the United States players are now governed by the same rules, the ranking of English and American players may be compared much better than when the sixth system was used in England and the quarter system in America.

YOUR LUNCH IN SAN FRANCISCO

The Montgomery Street Coffee and Lunch House, 428 Montgomery street, H. H. Hjul, proprietor, makes a specialty of fresh eggs, pure milk and cream, best coffee, tea and chocolate. Separate department for ladies.

Ten Days' Sale.

See prices at H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

For Rent—

Dishes, chairs and tables. H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

Bay City Flour—absolutely pure.

Special Sale

Household goods at H. Schellhaas, 466 Eleventh street.

Bay City Flour makes the best bread.

The ladies' dressing departments for ladies and gentlemen at the Piedmont Baths are the most elaborate and luxuriously fitted up of any this side of Chicago. Take Piedmont cars.

Above all others, Sperry Family Flour.

Rugs 10c Up to $4.50

At H. Schellhaas, 466 Eleventh street.

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